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7-2-47

Carbondale, Ill., July - A total of 142 graduate students are enrolled at Southern Illinois University this summer, as compared with 101 in the summer of 1946, Dr. Willis G. Swartz, chairman of the graduate studies committee, reports.

One graduate student has come from Mexico City, Mexico; another from California, a third from Arizona, and a fourth from Mississippi.

Of the total, 62 are majoring in educational administration and supervision, 31 in social science, 13 in English, 11 in elementary education, 10 in mathematics, 8 in biology, and 2 in foreign language.

Southern's graduate program is entering its fourth year this summ summer. Since the first graduate courses were offered in the summer of 1944, 28 master's degrees have been conferred.

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Carbondale, Ill., July - Classes will be dismissed at Southern Illinois University for Independence Day, July Fourth, and University offices will be closed both Friday and Saturday, July 4 and 5, President Chester F. Lay has announced.

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Carbondale, Ill., July - A new electric potter's wheel and a new electric kiln have been acquired by the art department at Southern Illinois University for use of pottery classes, Ben Watkins, acting chairman of the art department, has announced.

The potter's wheel has variable speeds ranging from 0 to 130 revolutions per minute, controlled entirely by a foot pedal, leaving the potter's hands free for "throwing" the clay objects, Watkins explained. Interchangeable "throwing" heads are provided for the modeling of different objects such as plates, cups and saucers.

The kiln is a compact one which generates firing chanber heat of 2000 degrees F. and is suitable for use in china painting, glass decorating, metal enameling, jewelry making, and metallurgical work.

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Carbondale, Ill., July - An article on "Contributions of the American Standards Association to Industrial Education" by Robert W. English, assistant professor of industrial education at Southern Illinois University, has been published in the June issue of the American Vocational Journal.

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7-2-47

Carbondale, Ill., July - Nearly 100 Southern Illinois University students volunteered for levee duty this week to help control the Mississippi River as it threatened to flood Jackson County towns, according to Dr. Marshall S. Hiskey, acting dean of men.

Among the students who worked Monday afternoon, Monday night and Tuesday with the flood control group, were the following:

Charles Allen of Carbondale, Edgar Alms of Percy, Dale Andrews of Mt. Carmel, Robert Bairunas of Johnston City, Alonza Beggs of Carrier Mills, W. G. Benningen of Grand Chain, Ledford J. Bishoff of Carbondale, Robert Brooks of Carbondale, Edwin Bryant of Norris City.

Bill Burns of 400 W. Main, Chicago, Gerald Carr of 637 N. 66 St., E. St. Louis, Wayne Childers of Royalton, James Cole of Norris City, Bill Conley of Marion, George W. Cotter of West Frankfort, Dan Cox of Frankfort Heights, Malcolm Dagley of Crossville.

William Dean of Carrier Mills, John T. Drake of West Frankfort, Frank Dunst of New Brunswick, N. J., Joe Elliott of Metropolis, Bob Etheridge of Fairfield, William H. Etheridge of Carbondale.

Tom Evans of 709 South Illinois, E. St. Louis, Charles Fisher of Benton, Clarence H. Goldsmith of E. St. Louis, Larry Green of Carbondale, Archie Griffin of Carbondale, Thomas Gunhouse of Makena, Andy Hagopian of Granite City, Wallace Holsapple of Carbondale.

Franklin Hamilton of McLeansboro, Clyde Hanft of New Athens, Obid Henderson of Benton, John Hughes of Carmi, F. E. Kingston of Fairfield, H. L. Kirkpatrick of Carbondale, Ernest Knowles of Bonnie, Charles B. Koch of Oakdale, Clyde Leilich of New Athens, Howard Leslie of McLeansboro.

George Madison of Cave-in-Rock, Robert Mandrell of Mt. Vernon, Charles James McDonald of Christopher, Charles Mathieu of Eldorado, Wade McDonald of Carbondale, Leslie McCollum of Johnston City, Richard Miller of Enfield, Paul Morgan of Sesser, John McFerron of Anna.

Walter Mueller of Steeleville, Bill Ogden of Marion, Wilburn C. Outlan of Carbondale, Don Outlen of Sparta, Robert Osowski of Johnston City, Howard Pepple of Sumner, James Pemberton of Steeleville, Bill Parrish of Carbondale, Don Purkaple of Dongola, Glen Phelps of West Frankfort.

Judson Phillips of Shawneetown, Bob Pulliam of Carbondale, Roy Ragsdale of DeSoto, James Rankin of Mill Shoals, J. R. Reed of Centralia, Jim Rust of Carbondale, Al Shafter of Carbondale, Gene Sloan of Galatia, Hilmer Schultz of New Athens, Bill Shaw of Granite City.

S. E. Smith of Carbondale, Virgil Spruel of Albion, Richard STein of Enfield, Julius Swayne of DuQuoin, Buell Tanner of Eldorado, Frank A. Theising of Bartelso, Paul Turley of Centerville Station, R. E. Tenney of Trenton, Harry Vaught of Burnt Prairie, Venus L. Vaughn of Vienna.

Nolan Vest of Xenia, Richard Wampler of Fairfield, Gerald E. Webb of Harrisburg, Troy Wilkinson of Marion.

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7-3-47

Carbondale, Ill., July - An exhibit of educational materials --textbooks and other instructional literature--will be displayed at Southern Illinois University July 8, 9 and 10, J. Ward Dillow, assistant professor of education, has announced.

The exhibit will be open to students and teachers who are attending summer school at the University, and also to school administrators of this area.

Approximately 50 publishing companies will display materials during the three-day exhibit, which will be held Tuesday afternoon, all day Wednesday, and Thursday morning in the gymnasium of the Science Building.

A picnic at Giant City will be given for the book exhibitors by the University faculty on Tuesday evening.

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Carbondale, Ill., July - Dave Malinsky of Flora, who will complete the bachelor of science in education degree at Southern Illinois University this summer, has been appointed assistant coach and teacher of physical education at the Dupo High School for next year, Athletic Director Glenn "Abe" Martin has announced.

Malinsky, a veteran, lettered in football at Southern in 1942 before going to the armed forces.

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7-3-47

Carbondale, Ill., July - Fifteen outstanding health education leaders are appearing as consultants or special lecturers for the Health Education Workshop currently under way at Southern Illinois University, according to Dr. Marie A. Hinrichs, chairman of the physiology and health education department.

Cooperating with the University in the workshop are the State Department of Public Health, the State Department of Public Instruction, the University of Illinois Division of Crippled Children, and a number of state and national foundations and health agencies.

On Monday, July 7, Dr. Clair E. Turner, assistant to the president of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, New York City, will visit the workshop. His lecture at 10 a. m. in Harwood Hall will be open to all interested persons.

On Tuesday, July 8, Dr. Jerome Sievers, chief of the Division of Communicable Diseases, State Department of Public Health, will be featured.

Already several guest speakers have appeared before the workshop students, including Dr. Orvis Hoog, dental consultant for the Division of Public Health Denistry, State Department of Public Health; Roy

O. Duncan, state director of health and physical education, Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, Springfield;; and Miss Elsa Schneider, assistant director of health and physical education, Springfield.

Other speakers scheduled include: July 14--D. B. Morton, sanitary engineer, State Department of Public Health; July 15--Dr. O. Howard Gowan, chief, Division of Cancer Control, State Department of Public Health; July 21--Mrs. E. F. Butler of Alton, health chairman, Illinois Parent-Teacher Association.

July 22--Mrs. Henrietta Hanna, consultant in nursing, State Department of Public Health; July 23-24--Miss Leona Pazourek, nutrition consultant, Division of Maternal and Child Hygiene, State Department of Public Health; July 23--representative of the Junior Red Cross; July 28--Miss Grace Borah, orthopedic nurse, University of Illinois Division of Services for Crippled Children; July 29-- Miss Marguerite M. Furey, consultant in nursing activities, National Society for Prevention of Blindness.

August 5--Dr. Richard Boyd, chief, Division of Local Health Administration, Dr. Leslie Knott, medical administrative assistant, and Mrs. Margaret Cowdin, chief, Division of Public Health Education, State Department of Health.

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7-8-47

Carbondale, Ill., July - Final enrollment for the summer session at Southern Illinois University has climbed to 1,888, as compared with 1,579 for the summer term last year, Registrar Marjorie Shank has reported.

More than half the summer students--959--are veterans, 14 of them women veterans.

There are 1,110 men students compared to 778 women students in school this summer.

Grouped by colleges, the enrollment table shows 1,065 students in the College of Education, 334 in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, 346 in the College of Vocations and Professions, and 143 in the Graduate School.

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Carbondale, Ill., July - A June honor graduate of Southern Illinois University who has recently accepted a position in a Chicago suburb will really "tear up roots" when he leaves here.

Walter Mifflin, graduate from the department of industrial arts, spent the spring term designing and constructing his own home here. During the fall term, he designed and made a complete bedroom set as part of his industrial education class work.

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7-8-47

Carbondale, Ill., July - Mrs. Alice Kandaleft Cosma, representative of the Syrian Government on the Status of Women Commission of the United Nations, will be presented in a lecture at Southern Illinois University July 17, Dr. P. M. Larson, chairman of the summer entertainment committee, has announced.

Mrs. Cosma will appear at 8 p. m. in Shryock Auditorium. Her lecture, on the subject, "Current Problems in the Arab Middle East," will be open to the public.

Founder and president of the Arab Women's National League, in 1945 she organized and became chairman of the Arab Women's Congress for the Defense of Palestine. She was the only woman to testify before the Anglo-American Committee on Palestine in 1946.

Mrs. Cosma is a master of arts graduate of Teachers College, Columbia University, and is a well-known educator in the Middle East. She has served as supervisor of teaching in the State Normal School in Baghdad, Iraq; as principal of that school; as head of the Moslem College for Girls in Beirut, Lebanon, although she herself is a Christian; as principal of the Private National School for Girls; as principal of the Secondary School of Arts and Crafts in Damascus, Syria; and as professor of education in the State Teachers College in Damascus.

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Carbondale, Ill., July - Southern Illinois University students have overflowed the campus this summer to the extent that several hundred are now meeting classes regularly at the Lincoln School, one of Carbondale's elementary school buildings.

Some dozen classes from the College of Education are housed at Lincoln School, according to Dr. E. R. Fair, dean of the College of Education.

A rural education workshop meets approximately three hours a day there, and other classes use the building from 8 a. m. until 1 p. m. every day and until 4 p. m. on several days a week.

Also with the cooperation of the Carbondale school system, 200 "grown-up" chairs have been obtained from the Carbondale Community High School to replace the children's desks and chairs in customary use at the Lincoln School, Dean Fair said.

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Release Wednesday

Carbondale, Ill., July 9 - Miss Mabel Carney, emeritus professor of rural education from Teachers College Columbia University, whose home is now at Marseilles, Ill., arrived here today to serve as consultant for the Rural Education Workshop at Southern Illinois University and to lecture to other education classes.

Mrs. Carney has been serving as consultant for the University's Rural Education Workshop at Salem in recent weeks.

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7-9-47

Carbondale, Ill,, July - A new Rural Education Workshop conducted by Southern Illinois University will open at Ewing July 14 to run through August 12, Dr. E. R. Fair, dean of the College of Education, has announced.

A similar workshop has been held at Salem during the early part of the summer and will continue through next week. Enrollment in the Salem workshop has totaled approximately 100 in-service teachers.

A special panel discussion on rural school reorganization will be conducted Tuesday, July 15, at both the workshops--at Salem in the morning and at Ewing in the afternoon.

Participants on the panel will be County Supts. Bob McKinney of Williamson County, Goffrey Hughes of Franklin County, Paul Chance of Marion County; Willis E. Malone of the University College of Education; Jean Fligor, instructor in rural education, who has been in charge of the Salem workshop; and Dean Fair.

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Carbondale, Ill., July - A concert by the University A Cappella Choir will be presented as a feature of the summer entertainment program at Southern Illinois University Wednesday, July 16, Dr. Maurits Kesnar, chairman of the music department, has announced.

The concert, open to the public, will be given in the Little Theatre at 8 p. m.

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Carbondale, Ill., July - If you want to know why teachers continue to choose the teaching profession in spite of the highly-publicized low salaries--here are the reasons.

A survey of 78 of the 134 June graduates of Southern Illinois University's College of Education shows:

More than two-thirds chose teaching primarily because they like boys and girls and like to work with them.

One-seventh, because they feel a responsibility for furthering the democratic processes.

One-seventh, because teaching offers an opportunity for service to their country and their community, or an opportunity for community leadership.

While only two of the graduating seniors gave as his No. 1 reason for choosing teaching the fact that it "provides a regular income, with short hours and long vacations," 70 others said this factor had some influence on their choice.

Two of the old stand-bys in the earlier days of the American teaching profession--"to get a job close to home" and "I've nothing else to do so I might as well teach"--took a back seat with this year's graduating class.

None of the graduating seniors checked either of these reasons as their No. 1 motive in entering the teaching profession, although 40 admitted the "job close to home" had some minor influence in their choice, and 43 confessed they had no other compelling vocational goal.

These same students, asked to check the personal qualifications a good teacher should have, ranked the following as the most important:

Good judgment regarding the needs of children at various ages.

A belief in freedom and worth of each growing personality.

A knowledge of subject matter.

Good physical and mental health.

Faith in the worth of teaching.

Other characteristics or qualifications they considered important for the teacher included: good citizenship in the school and in the community; a skill in evaluation; a happy disposition; ability to establish friendly relations with people of the community; ability to have fun in extra-curricular activities with children; correct speech and good written English; personal attractiveness; good grades and a high I. Q.

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7-9-47

Carbondale, Ill., July - A supplementary list of some 35 Southern Illinois University students who assisted in flood control levee work along the Mississippi during the recent flood menace has been issued by Dr. Marshall S. Hiskey, acting dean of men.

An earlier list showed approximately 90 student volunteer levee workers.

The new list includes the following:

Jim Baker of Vienna, Frederick Choisser of Eldorado, Ernest Copple of Centralia, Nunzia Corona of West Frankfort, Salbatore Corona of West Frankfort, Charles Cottrell of Granite City, John Robert Crosley of Christopher, Gary Dangutis of Johnston City, Norman Davis of Valier.

Berry Dale Eisenhower of Royalton, Larry Fiene of Steeleville, Bill Floyd of Alvin, Wilbur Garber of West Frankfort, Warren E. Garren of Centralia, Steve Hancock of Harrisburg, Charles Harris of Tamaroa, M. U. Harrison of Granite City, Kenneth B. Hedges of 3728A Palm, St. Louis.

Charles McDonald of Christopher, Val Jean MdFadden of West Frankfort, Paul Mitchell of Murphysboro, Frank Moake of Carbondale, Don Morris of Marion, George Novak of Carbondale, Glen W. Phelps of West Frankfort, Carlos Pleshe of Carbondale, Carl Rody of Carbondale.

H. Y. Rowe of Truman, Al. J. Shafter of Carbondale, Gene Sloan of Galatia, Charles Talbert of Wayne City, Curtis E. Taylor of Crossville, Don Turner of Granite City, R. Woods of Mt. Carmel.

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7-14-47

Carbondale, Ill., July - Three Southern Illinois University faculty members have been granted sabbatical leaves of absence for 1947-48 to carry on work leading to the doctor's degree, President Chester F. Lay has announced.

Miss Gladys Babcock, assistant professor of home economics, will study at Cornell University.

Mrs. Edith S. Krappe, assistant professor of English, this summer started her work at the University of Pennsylvania and expected to complete her doctor of philosophy degree there this year.

Miss Madeleine Smith, assistant professor of foreign languages, will study at Yale University.

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Carbondale, Ill., July - Room libraries in the Allyn Training School at Southern Illinois University are "the best I've seen anywhere in the country," Miss Katherine Jennings, representative of the World Book Encyclopedia, declared here recently.

Mrs. Jennings, who with some 50 other book company representatives exhibited at Southern last week, photographed the 4th grade library for use in her company's magazine as an example of a good home room library.

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7-14-47

Carbondale, Ill., July - Two Southern Illinois University faculty members will serve on the visiting faculty for the Workshop for Illinois High School Principals at East Bay Camp, Bloomington, July 17-19.

Dr. Eugene R. Fair, dean of the College of Education, and Dr. Douglas Lawson, professor of education, will lead discussions at the workshop, which is sponsored by the University of Illinois, the Illinois High School Principals Association, Illinois State Normal University, Northern Illinois State Teachers College, Western Illinois State College, Eastern Illinois State College, and Southern Illinois University.

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Carbondale, Ill., July - Two student groups from Southern Illinois University's music department and two student soloists will be presented in a recital Wednesday evening, July 16, in the Little Theatre.

The Mixed Chorus and the Madrigal Singers, authentically-costumed singers of 16th century ballads, will appear while Miss Carol Werner of Belleville, contralto, and Thomas Parks of Anna, bass, will be featured as soloists. Several student conductors will conduct the Mixed Chorus in its numbers.

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7-14-47

Carbondale, Ill., July - Church groups, women's clubs and other women's organizations are especially invited to attend the lecture here Thursday evening by Mrs. Alice Kandaleft Cosma, noted educator and Syrian diplomat, University officials have announced.

Mrs. Cosma will be presented by Southern Illinois University as part of its summer cultural and entertainment program. She will speak at 8 p. m. in Shryock Auditorium.

A representative of the Syrian Government to the United Nations Commission on the Status of Women, Mrs. Cosma has headed several women's colleges and universities in her native country.

She founded the Arab Women's National League and served as its first president, and also served as chairman of the Arab Women's Congress for the Defense of Palestine. In 1946 she was the only woman to testify before the Anglo-American Committee on Palestine.

Her lecture, on the subject "Current Problems in the Arab Middle East," will be open to the public.

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7-16-47

Carbondale, Ill., July - Name of the department of business and commerce at Southern Illinois University has been changed to "Department of Business Administration," University President Chester F. Lay has announced.

This department is in the College of Vocations and Professions. The new name was authorized by President Lay on recommendation of Dr. Henry J. Rehn, dean of the college.

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Carbondale, Ill., July - Senor Jose Luis Reyes, holder of the first Rotary Club international scholarship at Southern Illinois University, will deliver a public lecture on "International Understanding" here July 30, Dr. Vera Peacock, chairman of the foreign language department, has announced.

Senor Reyes will speak in English.

His talk, to be sponsored by the foreign language department, in which he is a graduate assistant this summer, will be given at 7:30 p. m. in the Little Theatre on the University campus, and will be open to the public.

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7-16-47

Carbondale, Ill., July - Appointment of six new faculty members at Southern Illinois University has been announced by University President Chester F. Lay.

Dr. Joseph S. Rafalko, who is serving on the summer faculty of the University, has accepted a permanent appointment as associate professor of zoology. Dr. Rafalko, who holds the master's and doctor's degrees from the University of Pennsylvania, has taught at Pennsylvania and more recently at Syracuse University, where he has been head of the zoology department of Triple Cities College.

Jack Hedges of Carbondale, a June master's degree graduate of Southern, has been named to a temporary position as faculty assistant for the summer. Mr. Hedges is serving as field representative of the University in connection with the State of Illinois exhibit caravan which is touring a series of county fairs in Southern Illinois.

George C. Camp from the University of Illinois faculty has been named associate professor of English, effective this fall. A graduate of Ohio Wesleyan College, where he taught for a time, Camp holds the master's degree from Ohio State University and this summer is completing the doctor's degree at the University of Illinois, where he is an assistant professor.

Dr. Robert C. Turner, head of the English department at Mississippi State College, has been appointed associate professor of English. Dr. Turner holds the bachelor's and master's degrees from the University of Missouri and the doctoral degree from Yale University. He formerly taught at Carroll College in Wisconsin.

Dr. Viola M. DuFrain from Northwest Missouri State College has been appointed associate professor of business. She is a graduate of the University of Illinois and obtained the master's and doctor's degrees from the University of Chicago. She has taught at Susquehanna University and the University of Chicago.

Mrs. Zella Cundall, who served on the Southern staff last summer, has been appointed instructor in Wheeler Library on the permanent staff. Mrs. Cundall holds her library science degree from the University of Illinois, and comes to Southern from Danville high schoo school.

President Lay also announced the resignation of Dr. Clarence L. Vinge, associate professor of geography, effective in the fall. Dr. Vinge plans to go to Michigan State College.

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7-18-47

Carbondale, Ill., July - Eight Southern Illinois University faculty members were approved for promotion in rank by the State Teachers College Board at its recent meeting at Macomb, University President Chester F. Lay has announced.

Two were promoted from associate professor to full professor--Dr. Willard M. Gersbacher, chairman of the sociology department, and Dr. Marshall S. Hiskey, in the psychology department. Dr. Hiskey, who has been serving as acting dean of men, also received permanent appointment as dean of men, and was named director of testing.

Two assistant professors were promoted to associate professorships --Dr. Norman Caldwell in history and Dr. Mary Eileen Barry in foreign languages.

Four instructors were promoted to assistant professorships--Miss Dorothy Heike, library; Miss Grace E. Hite, library; Alex Reed, agriculture and University high school; Lynn Holder, men's physical education and basket ball coach.

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Carbondale, Ill., July - Miss Edith C. Batho, principal of Royal Holloway College, University of London, will lecture at Southern Illinois University July 29, the entertainment and lectures committee has announced. Miss Batho will be the guest of Miss Frances Barbour and Mrs. Julia Neely of the English department, during her visit here.

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Carbondale, Ill., July 18 - Presence of large American oil companies in Arabia is a help to the Arab cause, a noted Syrian woman educator said here last night.

Mrs. Alice Kandaleft Cosma, Syrian government representative on the United Nations Commission on the Status of Women, lectured here under the auspices of the Southern Illinois University entertainment and lectures committee, on the subject "Current Problems in the Arab Middle East."

Mrs. Cosma declared that the Arab problem represents a crystalization of the problems of the world at large, and that Arabian problem can be solved only by the United Nations through international understanding.

"Power politics can destroy us," she declared.

She pointed out that at present Great Britain cannot leave Egypt and the Sudan because she needs a place for her armies and a trade link with the Far East; the French cannot get out of North Africa for they would lose their empire.

"If England and France released control, Russia would move in," she said.

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Citing that Arabia contains 30 per cent of the oil reserves of the world, and produces 20 billion barrels per year--approximately the same as the United States produces--she explained that Arabian oil, together with the strategic geographical position of the near and Middle East, makes this area one of prime concern in any United Nations effort to solve international relations among the major powers.

"Oil is no less than bread to humanity," she observed.

Discussing the Palestine problem, Mrs. Cosma termed this "the great sore spot" in the Arab countries, and the major cause of lack of unity.

"Arab countries--Northeast Egypt, Iraq, Syria, Sudan, Tripolitania, North Africa, Morocco and Lybia--concede that they have been awakened by the power, education, and culture of the western world," she said.

"They do not forget that they were once the "bridge where all civilizations converged and the cradle of three great religions of the world--Christian, Jewish, and Islam.

"Therefore they have a right to consideration of the problems facing them today."

The Jewish argument that "we were here first, this is the seat of our religion, and we have made many internal improvements," offers no excuse for creating a state within a state, Mrs. Cosma asserted.

"In the first place, the Arab was living in Palestine before Christ's time," she pointed out. "Palestine is also the seat of the Arab's religious culture.

"If internal improvements are a reason for conquest, then the United States could exploit all countries, even England, and set up new states."

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The Arab sees the solution to the Palestine situation in a simple light, she said.

"For centuries the Jew and the Arab have lived together in Palestine," she explained. "They could continue to do so if a Jewish state were not desired. Proportional representation is so largely Arab that there is no question of the Arab's maintaining control of Palestine.

"The Arab is willing to accept the Jews already in Palestine, but does not feel that they should have to accept immigrants merely because they desire to come.

"The United Sta tes," she reminded, "does not allow all who desire to do so to come to this country and take up citizenship. If they did, practically all Europe would be on your shores."

She quoted Rabbi Burger, who in his book Jewish Dilemma, expressed the view that the Jew does not represent a race, but a religion, and therefore should not desire to set up a separate state.

Arabia's chief problems are (1) independence, and (2) unity, Mrs. Cosma insisted, and "when the world is organized on an international basis, the Arab world will have most of its problems solved automatically."

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7-21-47

Carbondale, Ill., July - The nationally famous Chapel Choir from Capital University, Columbus, Ohio, will appear at Southern Illinois University July 24, under sponsorship of the University music department.

The concert will be presented in Shryock Auditorium at 8 p. m.

This choir, which has a tradition of 19 years' concert work behind it, has appeared in the Hippodrome Theater in New York, in Carnegie Hall, before the National Federation of Music Clubs, and in a private performance before ex-President and Mrs. Hoover.

It has given concerts in Los Angeles, Chicago, Kansas City and other United States cities, as well as in Regina, Canada.

The 50-voice choir is conducted by Ellis Emanuel Snyder, who organized the group 19 years ago and who is founder and director of the Choral Union of the Luther Leagues of the American Luther Church. Mr. Snyder has directed the choral division at the Lakeside Chautauqua and is now serving as national chairman of church music for the National Federation of Music Clubs.

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Carbondale, Ill., July - Two additional games have been added to the 1947 football schedule for Southern Illinois University, athletic director and head football coach Glenn "Abe" Martin has announced.

The season's opener will be played Sept. 27 against Scott Field here, while the closing game of the season on Nov. 22 will pit the Maroons against Cape Girardeau State Teachers College, at Cape.

Other games on the 1947 card are: Oct. 4, Evansville College, here; Oct. 11, Indiana State at Terre Haute; Oct. 18, Western at Macomb; Oct. 25, Northern, here (Southern's Homecoming game); Nov. 1, Arkansas State, at Jonesboro; Nov. 8, Normal, at Normal; Nov. 15, Eastern, here.

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Carbondale, Ill., July - School reorginization as a practical problem in professional and public relations will be the theme of the first annual Institute on Professional and Public Relations of Teachers, to be held July 31 at Southern Illinois University.

The one-day institute is under the sponsorship of the University's College of Education, in line with similar institutes being held throughout the country at the recommendation of the National Education Association. All teachers and school officials of Southern Illinois are invited to participate.

John Cox, Illinois Agricultural Association, Chicago, will inaugurate the program by discussing "What Are Professional and Public Relations?" at the opening session at 9:15 a. m. in Shryock Auditorium.

Dr. Eugene R. Fair, dean of the University College of Education, will outline the theme of the conference in a talk "School Reorganization--a Practical Problem in Professional and Public Relations."

A panel of teachers and administrators will then examine the question, "The Teacher's Responsibility in School Reorganization."

In the afternoon, the institute will break into group sessions to consider what school reorganization means to (a) children and youth, (b) to teachers, and (c) to the community, after which each group will report back to the general session the gist of its discussions.

An evening session will follow dinner at the University Cafeteria.

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Carbondale, Ill., July - John Sebastian, Jr., of Odin, Southern Illinois University stellar forward, has signed up with the Chicago Bears professional basket ball team, Raymond H. Dey, director of the University Placement Service, has announced.

Sebastian graduated from Southern in June with the bachelor of science in education degree.

Not only did he help the Maroons win their second consecutive Illinois Intercollegiate Athletic Conference basket ball title last winter, but Sebastian won a place for himself on the all-Conference team and amassed his team's highest individual points--309 for the season or an average of 11.5 per game.

Sebastian majored in physical education at Southern, was elected to the Sphinx Club--student honor society, and belonged to Sigma Beta Mu fraternity.

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Carbondale, Ill., July - Roy Leilich of New Athens, tennis star of Southern Illinois University, will attend the University of Illinois as a graduate student news year.

Leilich graduated from Southern in June. He served as president of the "I" Club, lettermen's organization, and belonged to Southern Knights, men's service society, and to Kappa Phi Kappa, professional education fraternity.

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Carbondale, Ill., July - Graduate students at Southern Illinois University this week organized as a graduate club, with one of its principal aims the stimulation of suggestions from the students themselves for the development of the University's graduate program.

The organization movement came following a tea held by the Graduate Studies Committee for the 143 graduate students enrolled this summer.

Dr. Willis G. Swartz, chairman of the Graduate Studies Committee, informed the students that a graduate record examination would be given on August 4 for students who desire to attend some other graduate school, and that a comprehensive field examination for graduate students at Southern would be announced later.

On appointment of Dr. Swartz, Ledford Bischof of Carbondale served as temporary chairman for the organization, and appointed a seven-member committee to formulate a plan of organization and nominate officers.

This committee consisted of Mrs. Maxine Harris Blackman of Ramsey, chairman; J. W. Gholson of Carrier Mills, David Kenney of Carbondale, Virgil Lipe of Chester, Vivian Vickers of Carbondale, Hershel Ellis of Herrin, and Cornelia Beach of Jerseyville.

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Carbondale, Ill., July - Emphasis at the first Institute on Professional and Public Relations of Teachers, scheduled at Southern Illinois University July 31, will be on discussion rather than on speeches, Dr. E. R. Fair, dean of the College of Education, points out.

Theme of the conference will be "Developing a Public Relations Program for School Reorganization."

A panel of teachers and administrators will lead discussion of "The Teacher's Responsibility in School Reorganization" Thursday morning, and in the afternoon the institute will break up into three informal discussion groups.

These groups will consider what reorganized schools should mean to (1) children and youth, (2) teachers, and (3) the community.

The morning panel of discussion leaders will include: Supt. Kenneth Jobe, Anna, chairman; Miss Anastasia Cloud, junior high school teacher, Belleville; Miss Eva Giltner, elementary teacher, Alton; L. V. Lipe, principal, elementary school, Chester; Miss Myrtle Lord, rural teacher, Union County; Supt. John A. Moore, Omaha; Goebel Patton, principal, West Frankfort high school; Mrs. Clara Taggart, rural teacher, Randolph County.

The institute will open at 9 a. m. in the Little Theatre at the University.

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Carbondale, Ill., July - With a new director at the helm, the Little Theatre at Southern Illinois University will present as its summer production Thornton Wilder's "Our Town," in Shryock Auditorium July 31.

Dr. Theodore Skinner, associate professor of speech, who joined the University faculty in June, will direct the play. Dr. Skinner last spring completed work on his doctor's degree at Northwestern University with emphasis on theatre work. He was formerly on the faculty of Kansas State College.

"Our Town" was a Pulitzer Prize winning play a number of years ago. Its challenge to the amateur theatrical group, according to Dr. Skinner, lies in the fact that all the action takes place on a bare stage, with no stage sets and few properties. The cast, therefore, must rely on character study to depict their roles.

Action of the play centers around life in a small New Hampshire town, Grovers Corners, about the turn of the century. It tells the story of two families, the Gibbs and the Webbs--their daily life, the love and marriage of George Gibbs and Emily Webb, and the tragedy as death breaks the family circle.

Taking the leading roles in "Our Town" are Charles Weber, Jr., of Cairo, as "The Stage Manager"; Lewis Hammack of Sparta as "Dr.

Gibbs"; Charlott Waggener of Herrin as "Mrs. Webb"; Ralph Lane of Eldorado as "Mr. Webb"; Jean Larson of Carbondale as "Emily Webb"; and John S. Rendleman of Anna as "George Gibbs."

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Carbondale, Ill., July - A four-day school of instruction for fire-fighters will be held at Southern Illinois University Sept. 30-Aug. 3, Dr. W. Neal Phelps, acting director of the University's physical plant, has announced.

A group representing the Egyptian Fire-Fighting Association called on University officials this week to plan arrangements for the school.

Such subjects as equipment, fire prevention, fire department and community obligations in prevention and control of fires, salvage, and other topics will be studied. Fires originating by explosives, electrical hazards, and arson will be discussed by experts, as will the legal aspects of fire service.

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Carbondale, Ill., July - A year's leave of absence has been granted by Southern Illinois University to Dr. John Mayor, professor and chairman of the mathematics department, to permit him to accept an appointment at the University of Wisconsin, Southern President Chester F. Lay announced today.

Dr. Mayor, who holds the doctor of philosophy degree from Wisconsin, will have charge of that university's teacher-training program in mathematics. His leave of absence is for the period Sept. 18, 1947, to Sept. 18, 1948. He came to Southern in 1935.

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Carbondale, Ill., July - A meat-cutting demonstration will be held at Southern Illinois University Monday, Aug. 4, at 7:30 p. m., Mrs. Mary Louise Barnes, associate professor of home economics, has announced.

Orin Dresser, meat buyer for the Kroger Grocery and Baking Company, assisted by one of the company's butchers, will conduct the demonstration, scheduled in Parkinson Laboratory 105.

The demonstration is open to all summer session students and to townspeople, but veterans and their wives are especially invited, Mrs. Barnes said. ###

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Carbondale, Ill., July - Discussion groups on what school reorganization means (1) to children and youth, (2) to teachers, and (3) to the community will comprise the afternoon program at the first Institute on Professional and Public Relations of Teachers to be held at Southern Illinois University Thursday, July 31.

A third speaker has been secured for the evening session--Harry L. Porter, editor and publisher of the Hardin County Independent. Mr. Porter, who is also a member of the Hardin County school survey committee, will speak on "The Newspaper's Part in Publicizing School Reorganization Plans."

Other dinner speakers are C. M. Van Vlece, Richland County superintendent, who will report on his county's school reorganization plans, and B. E. Gum, Salem Community High School superintendent, who will discuss "Advantage of Unit District in School Reorganization."

At the morning session, after greetings from University President Chester F. Lay, the opening speaker will be John K. Cox, director of rural school relations for the Illinois Agricultural Association, Chicago, who will analyze "What Are Professional and Public Relations?"

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Dr. E. R. Fair, dean of the University College of Education, will then outline "School Reorganization as a Practical Problem in Professional and Public Relations," followed by a panel discussion of "The Teacher's Responsibility in School Reorganization."

Leaders for the afternoon group discussions will be Ledford Bishof, Veterans Guidance Center at Southern; Edward L. Allen, supervising teacher, Buncombe Rural Training School; and Vincent Birchler, high school teacher, Chester.

"Resource persons" or discussion leaders for the three groups will include Paul McRoy, manager, Radio Station WCIL, Carbondale; Charles Cook, manager, Radio Station WJPF, Herrin; William Dougherty, managing editor, Carbondale Free Press; Curtis Small, editor, Harrisburg Daily Register; Jean Fligor, F. G. Warren, Lorena Drummond, J. W. Dillow, Earl Hall, John W. Allen, Victor Randolph, all of the Southern Illinois University faculty.

The institute will be held in the Little Theatre, starting at 9 a. m. Thursday.

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Carbondale, Ill., July - Two Southern Illinois University faculty members will attend the first post-war international convention of the International Federation of University Women in Toronto, Canada, Aug. 11-16.

Miss Hilda Stein, associate professor of zoology, now serving her second term as state president of the Illinois branch of the American Association of University, will be an official delegate from the Illinois branch, while Miss Frances Barbour, associate professor of English, will attend as a non-voting member.

Five other Illinois women will attend the convention--Mrs. C. L. Presnell of Rockford, Illinois branch education chairman; Misses Louise and Elizabeth Whitemen of Evanston; Miss Helen Todd and Miss Louise Bichoff, both of Chicago.

This is the first international convention since 1939, and will be attended by 200 delegates from the United States and representatives of 30 other countries. It is the first international convention to be held outside the continent of Europe.

Dr. Edith Batho, president of the British Federation of University Women, who will also attend the conference, has been in Carbondale this week, visiting Miss Barbour and lecturing at the University here.

Dr. Stanislawa Adamowicz of the State School of Hygiene, Warsaw, Poland, is president of the IFUW.

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Carbondale, Ill., July - Final examinations for the summer session at Southern Illinois University will begin Wednesday afternoon August 6, and run through Friday afternoon, Aug. 8.

A schedule of August classes for veterans and other students who are urgently in need of additional credits has been arranged, to run Aug. 11 to Sept. 5.

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Carbondale, Ill., July - Several openings for mature women as housemothers in organized houses for Southern Illinois University students are reported by Mrs. Mabel Pulliam, housing counselor.

Applications for these positions should be filed with the Dean of Women's Office and should be accompanied by references, Mrs. Pulliam said.

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Carbondale, Ill., July 30 - Greater exchange of young students and young professional people, an international language, and ample information about UNESCO would prove three powerful tools for building international good will and understanding, a young scholar from Mexico declared here tonight.

Senor Jose Luis Reyes, enrolled this summer at Southern Illinois University as holder of the Rotary Club international scholarship here, spoke under the auspices of the University's foreign language department, in which he is studying and teaching as a graduate student.

Reyes urged the United States and Mexico to borrow desirable qualities and customs from each other.

For the past two winters, he has lived in American homes, studied in American schools and colleges, and attended American churches, under the "Experiment in International Living," a plan which is fostering exchange of students and young professional people between the United States, Mexico, Colombia, Guatemala, and Europe.

His earlier impressions of this country--gained largely from American movies and from American tourists in Mexico--have been altered drastically since he has lived in this country, he said.

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3. More emphasis on romance in courtship--art, music, etc.

4. More leisure in living, more time for rest, recreation, and gracious living.

5. A greater spirit of happiness--a better balance between ambition and achievement.

6. Opportunity to study and appreciate the Spanish and Latin-American culture.

7. Opportunity to see Mexican films in translations.

Reyes urged that all citizens of both countries should become familiar with the speeches of President Aleman and President Truman on their recent exchange visits, and quoted the Mexican president's words: "Both our peoples have a like desire that all men, of all races and all parts of the world should understand each other....If prejudices have been an obstacle (to inter-American cohesion), let us make the education of our children and of our youth a liberation from that inexcusable obstacle."

He quoted also President Truman: "We are united by more than the comman procedures and agencies of Inter-American cooperation. All our peoples have a common belief which we call 'democracy.' Democracy has a spiritual foundation because it is based upon the brotherhood of man. We believe in the dignity of the individual. We believe that the function of the state is to preserve and promote human rights and fundamental freedoms....The United States and Mexico are working together for the mutual benefit of their peoples and the peace of the world."

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8-1-47

Carbondale, Ill., Aug. - A $2,000 scholarship fund to be awarded for a two-year period to some worthy, needy Southern Illinois University student has been presented to the S.I.N.U. Foundation, Gen. Robert W. Davis, chairman of the foundation's executive board, has announced.

The gift of Mrs. H. H. Evans of 5237 Washington Blvd., St. Louis, the scholarship is established in memory of her son, Murray C. Evans, killedin action in World War I.

"It is to be given in two $1,000 grants to some deserving student," he explained. "This makes it the largest scholarship ever to be established at Southern. It is an extremely generous award, and one for which the University is deeply appreciative."

The foundation board has already asked the University committee on scholarship, standards and honors, of which Dr. Vera Peacock, professor foreign languages, is chairman, to nominate five top-ranking students. The board will then investigate these nominees and make the award.

Mrs. Evans is already giving scholarship assistance to students at Harvard and the University of Missouri in memory of her son, but because he was born in Southern Illinois, at Anna, she decided to make the $2,000 grant to some student at Southern, Gen. Davis said.

The S.I.N.U. Foundation is an agency incorporated to receive gifts for the University. It was established as "The Southern Illinois Normal University Foundation," but since the University's name was recently changed, foundation officials are taking steps to amend the foundation's charter likewise dropping the word "normal" from its name, Gen. Davis said.

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Carbondale, Ill., Aug. - President Chester F. Lay of Southern Illinois University will address the Benton Rotary Club at the Benton Country Club Tuesday evening, Aug. 5.

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Carbondale, Ill., Aug. - Miss Marjorie Shank, registrar, and Dr. Willard M. Gersbacher, professor and chairman of the zoology, department at Southern Illinois University, will serve as judges for the educational exhibits at the State Fair Aug. 13.

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8-8-47

Special to Southern Illinois Weeklies

Carbondale, Ill., Aug. - Three departments at Southern Illinois University have new chairmen, the latest being the department of business administration.

Dr. John Winfield Scott, recently on the faculty of the Shrivenham American University in England, has been secured as professor of business administration and is being assigned as chairman of the department, effective this fall, President Chester F. Lay has announced.

The other two new department chairmen are Dr. Joseph K. Johnson, professor and chairman of the sociology department, who assumed his duties this summer, and Dr. Quinter M. Lyon, professor and chairman of the philosophy department, who will report for duty Sept. 16.

Dr. Scott's appointment is the 19th addition to the permanent faculty this summer and fall. These new additions include the three department chairmen, all of whom hold full professorial rank; seven associate professors, two assistant professors, five instructors, and two faculty assistants. Eleven of the new appointees hold the doctor's degree.

Dr. Scott has taught at the University of Chicago, Michigan State College, and North Texas Agricultural College; has served as professor and dean at Oklahoma A. & M. College and at Alabama Polytechnic Instit Institute, and for two years was principal economist for the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

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8-8-47

Special to Southern Illinois Weeklies

Carbondale, Ill., Aug. - Two master's degree graduates of Southern Illinois University will teach zoology in colleges next year, according to Dr. W. M. Gersbacher, professor and chairman of the zoology department.

A. E. Hunter of Chicago, who obtained his degree in June, will teach at the Woodrow Junior College in Chicago, while Troy Dorris of West Frankfort, who completed his degree this summer, will teach at Quincy College.

Mrs. Mary Craeger, 1937 bachelor's graduate of Southern, who is obtaining her master's degree from the University of Illinois this summer, will serve as critic teacher at Eastern Illinois State College next year.

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Carbondale, Ill., Aug. - One of the five public health fellowships awarded for 1947-48 by the State Department of Public Health has come to a graduate of Southern Illinois University, according to Dr. Marie A. Hinrichs, professor and chairman of the University's department of phsiology and health education.

John K. Ellis of Carbondale, who holds both the bachelor of science and the bachelor of science in education degrees from Southern, received this award, and will study next year at the University of Michigan.

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8-15-47

Carbondale, Ill., August - Ninety-eight students have completed work for their degrees at Southern Illinois University during the summer session which ended August 8.

They included three candidates for the master of science in education degree; seventy-seven for the bachelor of science in education; five for the bachelor of arts and seven for the bachelor of sciences in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences; six for the bachelor of science in the College of Vocations and Professions.

The following students received degrees:

ALTON: Bachelor of Science in Education Degree--M. Angela Walsh.

ANNA: Bachelor of Arts Degree from the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences--John Roland Boswell.

ASHLEY: Bachelor of Science in Education Degree--Katherine Parlier, Francis A. Pate.

BELLEVILLE: Bachelor of Science in Education Degree--Donald G. Brasel, Mary I. Eckert, Raymond J. Franz.

BENTON: Bachelor of Science in Education Degree--Obed Wayne Henderson, Ruth E. McKemie.

BREEZE: Bachelor of Science in Education Degree--Robert F. O'Brien.

BROUGHTEN: Bachelor of Science in Education Degree--Lois Christine Garrett.

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BURNT PRAIRIE: Bachelor of Science in Education Degree--E. Harry Vaught, Jr.

CAMBRIA: Bachelor of Science in Education Degree--Helen Marie Plumlee.

CARBONDALE: Master of Science in Education Degree--John Clifford.

Bachelor of Science in Education Degree--John Arthur Algee, Charles Bert Beatty, E. Ronald Coon, Jeanne Lorraine Haroldson, Thomas H. Huson, Kenneth Theodore Langford, Mary Elizabeth Miles, Millie Louis Ogden, Frances M. Robinson, Mayme Nell Story, Richard Earle Whalen, Jr.

Bachelor of Arts Degree in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences--Robert L. Kesterson.

Bachelor of Science Degree in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences--Henry M. Borella.

Bachelor of Science Degree in the College of Vocations and Professions--Marion K. Blythe.

CARLYLE: Bachelor of Science in Education Degree--Dorothea Katherine Meyer.

CARMI: Bachelor of Science in Education Degree--Carroll Douglass Renshaw.

CARRIER MILLS: Bachelor of Science in Education Degree--John Wayne Buckner.

CENTRALIA: Bachelor of Science in Education Degree--Betty Maurine Adams.

CHRISTOPHER: Bachelor of Science in Education Degree--Anne Huha.

CLAY CITY: Bachelor of Science in Education Degree--Delbert E. Zimmerman.

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COBDEN: Bachelor of Science in Education Degree--Virginia Lou Hailey.

DUPO: Bachelor of Science in Education Degree--Sue A. Johnson.

DU QUOIN: Bachelor of Science in Education Degree--Philip Allen Provart, Julius R. Swayne.

EAST ST. LOUIS: Bachelor of Science in Education Degree--Clarice May Baldwin.

EDWARDSVILLE: Bachelor of Science in Education Degree--Virgie Lee Hornberger.

ELDORADO: Bachelor of Science in Education Degree--Iona Ruth Grant.

FLORA: Bachelor of Science in Education Degree--T. E. Fitch, David A. Malinsky.

FREEBURG: Bachelor of Science in Education Degree--Ruth E. Nast.

GRIDLEY: Bachelor of Science Degree in the College of Vocations and Professions--Gordon G. Henrichs.

HARRISBURG: Bachelor of Science in Education Degree--Martha Jean Poulos.

HARVEY: Bachelor of Science in Education Degree--Walter Wendell Whitlock.

HERRIN: Bachelor of Science in Education Degree--Rosalee Restivo.

HURST: Master of Science in Education Degree--Robert F. Catlett.

JOHNSTON CITY: Bachelor of Science in Education Degree--Lawrence William Calufetti, Helen Dorris, Catherine Marie Giacomelli.

Bachelor of Arts Degree in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences--Arthur H. Doerr, Jr.

Bachelor of Science Degree in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences--Howard D. Harris.

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KINMUNDY: Bachelor of Science in Education Degree--Alice M. Readnour.

MARION: Bachelor of Science in Education Degree--Jason J. Collins, Martha McClanahan, Agnes Bernice Newton.

Bachelor of Science Degree in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences--Jesse Ray Hudgens.

Bachelor of Science Degree in the College of Vocations and Professions--Frank Eugene Vaughn.

MC LEANSBORO: Bachelor of Science in Education Degree--Josephine Noel Vickers.

METROPOLIS: Bachelor of Science in Education Degree--Malcolm Conner Hamby, Virginia Curtis Sielbeck.

MOUNDS: Bachelor of Science in Education Degree--Laurence Thomas Schneider.

MOUNT VERNON: Bachelor of Science in Education Degree--Vernie Bender.

MURPHYSBORO: Bachelor of Science in Education Degree--Dorothy Godair, Marguerite McCann, Vera J. Pittman, Elmer O. Ziegler.

Bachelor of Arts Degree in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences--Charles Lloyd Holliday.

Bachelor of Science Degree in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences--Lemuel Dalton Harry

NASHVILLE: Bachelor of Science in Education Degree--Beulah Eade.

NEW BURNSIDES: Bachelor of Science in Education Degree--Effie Sharp.

NORRIS CITY: Bachelor of Science Degree in the College of Vocations and Professions--Edwin Lee Bryant.

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OMAHA: Bachelor of Science in Education Degree--Ruth Utley Pigg.

ORIENT: Bachelor of Science in Education Degree--Mary Jane Reeves.

PINCKNEYVILLE: Bachelor of Science in Education Degree--Virgil J. Davis.

ROYALTON: Bachelor of Science in Education Degree--Angelina Marie Ferrari.

SAILOR SPRINGS: Master of Science in Education Degree--Charles Feller.

SALEM: Bachelor of Science Degree in the College of Vocations and Professions--Wallace Boyd Nelson.

SIMPSON: Bachelor of Science in Education Degree--Helen Williams Chester.

SPARTA: Bachelor of Science in Education Degree--Nola Vivian Fulton, Mary Maxine Stevenson.

SPRINGFIELD: Bachelor of Arts Degree in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences--Warren David St. James.

STONEFORT: Bachelor of Science in Education Degree--Robert D. Lightfoot.

TAMMS: Bachelor of Science Degree in the College of Vocations and Professions--Shirley Adams.

THOMPSONVILLE: Bachelor of Science in Education Degree--Frances E. McDaniel

TRENTON: Bachelor of Science Degree in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences--Robert E. Tenney.

TUNNEL HILL: Bachelor of Science in Education Degree--Emma Luella Simmons.

VALIER: Bachelor of Science Degree in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences--Mike Trbovich.

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WEST FRANKFORT: Bachelor of Science in Education Degree--William Hill Dawson, Daisy Rotramel, Cecile B. Tabor.

Bachelor of Arts Degree in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences--Robert Marshall Treece.

WOLF LAKE: Bachelor of Science in Education Degree--James L. Williams.

ZEIGLER: Bachelor of Science in Education Degree--Dale L. Berry, Jral L. Campbell.

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8-19-47

Carbondale, Ill., Aug. - Well more than 2,000 Southern Illinois adults stayed at home and still studied under instructors from Southern Illinois University last year--double the extension class enrollment for the preceding year.

A total of 2,027 students took University courses by extension in their own home communities during the period July 1, 1946 to July 1, 1947, according to the annual report of Raymond H. Dey, director of the Extension Service.

In addition, an uncounted number--estimated at more than 500--listened regularly to the "course by radio" which the University Extension Service put on the air for four months during the spring. This radio program consisted of lectures on "India" by a University professor, heard by organized groups of Southern Illinois church women.

During the past year, Southern conducted 47 courses in 38 different communities of Southern Illinois.

Enrollment in Southern-sponsored extension courses during the past year has been more than double that of 1945-46, when 30 courses were conducted with a total enrollment of 918 students.

The previous high was in 1940-41, when 33 courses were conducted with a total enrollment of 1,783. At that time, evening courses conducted on the campus were included, since these were then conducted by the Extension Service.

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Carbondale, Ill., Aug. - Southern Illinois citizens--here's how you can rate your own school system and see whether school reorganization would benefit your child's educational opportunities.

A new bulletin issued by the College of Education at Southern Illinois University--entitled "Some Proposed Goals for School Reorganization in Illinois"--includes a checklist of desired qualities, activities and facilities, so that each school may be rated "good," "moderate" or "poor" on each point.

Prepared by Dr. Howard E. Bosley, associate professor of education, and Dr. Earl Hall, assistant professor, the bulletin was prepared for the individuals who want to know what school reorganization is all about.

Earlier bulletins have been issued primarily for school officials and county survey committees.

Major divisions in the checklist include the curriculum, staff, community relationships, school plant and site.

Among the points listed are: the ba sic utilization of pupils' skills; attention to the individual pupil's own interests; variety of printed materials, audió-visual materials, scientific apparatus; use of community resources; special facilities for handicapped children; comprehensive health examinations; sports and recreational activities;

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effective homemaking instruction; job-training and general education for students who do not go to college; competent, broadly educated teachers; effective supervisors; desirable teaching conditions and salaries; cooperative relations with the community; adult education and educational services for the communtiy; attractive, functional, safe school plant.

Answering the question, "How large must the administrative unit be before a reasonable attainment of these good practices is possible?", Drs. Bosley and Hall pointed out that the unit must be large enough to:

1. Attract a capable educational leader as superintendent.

2. Provide stimulating conditions which will result in educational progress.

3. To attract and hold capable teachers.

4. To utilize economically the full-time services of competent educational leaders as supervisors.

5. To permit flexibility in planning for the future in terms of now-unpredictable conditions.

6. To provide reasonable equalization of financial support.

While recognizing that factors other than size may have a bearing on the effectiveness of the school program, the authors stressed that "all studies indicate that the larger districts possess many advantages," and cited authorities advocating 40- to 50-teacher schools as the minimum units to provide economically the desirable educational opportunities.

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Carbondale, Ill., Aug. - Appointment of five additional new faculty members at Southern Illinois University, effective this fall, has been announced by University President Chester F. Lay, including:

Dr. Archibald McLeod, as associate professor of speech, to take the place of Dr. Theodore Skinner, who served on the summer faculty and has accepted a position as chairman of the speech department at Texas College of Arts and Industries. Dr. McLeod, who holds the bachelor's degree from Oberlin, the master's from State University of Iowa, and the doctor's from Cornell University, has taught at Cornell, Kansas State Teachers College, Texas State College for Women, and Louisiana State University.

Dr. Louis D. Rodabaugh, as associate professor of mathematics. Dr. Rodabaugh has taught at Ohio State University, from which he holds the master's and doctor's degrees; at Southern Methodist University, University of Alabama, Butler, Shurtleff College, Oberlin and the University of Akron. He took his bachelor's degree at Miami University.

Dalias A. Price, as assistant professor of geography. Formerly on the faculty of the University of Illinois and of Southeast Missouri State Teachers College, Mr. Price holds both the bachelor's and master's degrees from the University of Illinois.

Harlan Hodges, as instructor in physical education for men. A graduate of Southern and holder of the master's degree from the

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University of Michigan, Mr. Hodges has been coaching at the West Frankfort Community High School.

Miss Theresa Ivanuck, as faculty assistant in physical education for women. A graduate of Southern, she has been teaching for two years in the Clay Center high school.

President Lay also announced the resignation of Mrs. Louise Parker O'Neil as faculty assistant in physiology and health education and the granting of a year's leave of absence to Dr. Douglas E. Lawson, professor of education. Mrs. Parker will continue her graduate studies at the University of Michigan, while Dr. Lawson will go to the Hawaiian Islands to accept an administrative post in a large private school.

The appointment of these five new faculty members brings to 24 the number of new permanent additions to the University staff this summer and for the opening of the fall term.

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Carbondale, Ill., Aug. - Raymond H. Dey, director of the Extension Service at Southern Illinois University, is spending several days this week in visiting the extension service at the University of Wisconsin.

He also expected to visit the extension and placement services of Illinois State Normal University, Northern Illinois State Teachers College, and perhaps the University of Chicago.

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Carbondale, Ill., Aug. - Two new department chairmen have been appointed from the regular faculty of Southern Illinois University to head the English and mathematics departments, University President Chester F. Lay has announced.

Dr. William B. Schneider, professor of English, has been named chairman of the English department, succeeding Miss Emma Bowyer, who retires this fall after serving in that capacity since 1926.

Dr. J. R. Purdy, associate professor, has been appointed to the chairmanship of the mathematics department, to replace Dr. J. R. Mayor, who has been granted a leave of absence for 1947-48 to accept a position at the University of Wisconsin.

Dr. Schneider came to Southern in 1936 and has served on the Advisory Council to the President, the curriculum, graduate studies, buildings and grounds, and landscape committees. He holds the bachelor of arts and master of arts degrees from the University of Chicago.

Dr. Purdy joined the Southern faculty in 1929, after having taught at the Deveaux School and the University of Illinois. He holds the bachelor's and master's degrees from Kenyon College and a second master's and the doctoral degree from the University of Illinois. He also attended Wooster College and Ohio State University. In recent years, Dr. Purdy has served as chairman of the bookstore committee.

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8-22-47

Carbondale, Ill., Aug. - The 1947-48 catalogue for Southern Illinois University has come from the press and is currently being distributed to prospective students.

More than 800 new freshmen have applied for admittance this fall, and have received the new publication--first to be issued bearing the institution's new name "Southern Illinois University."

The new catalogue gives detailed data on educational requirements and offerings in the three undergraduate colleges--Education, Liberal Arts and Sciences, and Vocations and Professions--and in the Graduate School.

It also outlines the services available to students, such as federal and state aid for veterans, vocational testing for veterans, credit for military service training, the Illinois Veterans Commission service; professional aptitude tests, student employment service, placement service, health service, loans, scholarships and prizes, housing service.

Opportunities for student activities in dramatics and forensics, music, radio, athletics, publications, social life, student self-government, and religious life, are described.

Southern is accredited by the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools as a university, by the American Association of Teachers Colleges, by the Association of American

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Colleges, and by the American Association of University Women.

The University calendar for 1947-48 runs as follows: Fall quarter--Sept. 10-14, Freshman Week; Sept. 15-16, registration for the fall term; Oct. 24-25, Homecoming; Nov. 27-28, Thanksgiving recess; Dec. 2-6, final examinations.

Winter quarter--Dec. 8-9, registration; Dec. 20-Jan. 4, Christmas recess; Jan. 5, instruction resumed; Feb. 12, Lincoln's Birthday, a holiday; March 9-13, final examinations; March 14-22, Spring recess.

Spring quarter--March 22-23, registration; May 30, Memorial Day, a holiday; June 7-10, final examinations; June 11, 73rd annual commencement.

Summer session--June 14, registration; Aug. 5-6, final examination examinations.

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8-22-47

Carbondale, Ill., Aug. - Miss Thelma Lynn, loan and reference librarian at Southern Illinois University, will spend next year at Columbia University School of Library Science, where she will work on the master's degree in library science.

Miss Lynn, who holds the bachelor of library science degree from Columbia, has been granted a leave of absence from her duties here to carry on advanced study. She came to Southern in September, 1945 from the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, where she was assistant librarian.

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Carbondale, Ill., Aug. - Norman Meinkoth of O'Fallon, a graduate of Southern Illinois University, who recently obtained his doctor's degree from the University of Illinois, has accepted an appointment to the faculty of Swarthmore College, according to Dr. Willard M. Gersbacher, chairman of the Southern zoology department.

Meinkoth graduated from Southern in 1938 with a major in zoology.

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Carbondale, Ill., Aug. - H. Byron Bruce of Kell, a Southern Illinois University senior, has been employed as teacher and coach at Central Grade School, Centralia, for next year, Raymond H. Dey, director of the University Placement Service, reports.

Bruce has majored in sociology at the University and would have completed his degree in June, 1948, but will withdraw at the close of the special August courses to accept the Centralia position.

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Carbondale, Ill., Aug. - Jim Smith of Coulterville, who graduated from Southern Illinois University in June with a major in physical education, has been appointed head of the community recreation department at Marion, Glenn "Abe" Martin, Southern athletic director reports.

Smith lettered in baseball at Southern this spring.

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8-27-47

Carbondale, Ill., Aug. - Southern Illinois University is spending the "dog days" of August getting its house in order for an estimated 2,800-2,900 students at the opening of the fall term Sept. 15.

No students are being turned away because of housing difficulties, according to Mrs. Mabel Pulliam, housing counselor. Dribbles of available rooms keep coming in from day to day, enough to care for new applicants.

The veterans housing project on Chautauqua Street--104 apartments--is full for this fall, and 145 applications have been filed for the 68 apartments in the veterans housing project at the Illinois Ordnance plant, Mrs. Pulliam said. It is expected, however, that all of the applicants "who really want to move in" can be accommodated. Moreover, an additional 27 apartments may become available in this project soon.

Organized houses for students, including the 120-capacity University-owned Anthony Hall for girls and the 60-capacity Baptist Foundation boys' dormitory, are full. This group of houses also includes five fraternities, three sororities, one large house for boys and six co-ops or large boarding houses for girls. A total of 435 students can be accommodated in the various organized houses.

Several hundred other students are expected to commute from their nearby home towns. Last spring 575 students commuted.

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The apartment situation for married students is perhaps the most critical aspect of the housing problem, since last spring 586 married students were enrolled, and only 413 of these had homes or apartments here in Carbondale, the remainder commuting.

Living costs have shown a slight increase during the last year, Mrs. Pulliam pointed out. Room rents have not risen--remaining in the $2.50 to $5 per week range, with the average about $3 or between $13 and $14 per week--but food costs have risen.

Meals at boarding houses run about 50 to 55 cents for lunch or dinner, Mrs. Pulliam said. Men students estimate their food costs at about $1.50 per day, while girls spend $1.25 or $1.35, making the monthly average run to about $55 or $60 per month for room and board. This figure is reduced somewhat for the students who go home over week-ends.

"Costs for room and board at Southern are still lower than at any other college or university I know of," Mrs. Pulliam declared.

Estimates of the number of students who will probably enroll at Southern this fall run slightly higher than the 2,718 enrolled last fall, according to the Registrar's Office.

A total of 821 new freshmen had applied for admittance as of August 20, and it is expected that this figure will reach 900 or perhaps 1,000 by the opening of school Sept. 15.

While the freshman class this fall may be smaller than last year's record-breaking one of 1,550 (including both new freshmen and second- and third-term freshmen), total enrollment is expected to be larger, since the swell of last year's large freshman class will hit the sophomore level this fall.

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Normally approximately one-half of the freshman class may be expected to stay in school for the sophomore year, but Registrar's Office officials hastily pointed out that "this is not a normal year," and perhaps two-thirds or more of last year's freshmen may return as sophomores this fall.

Making a conservative estimate, the Registrar's Office is currently predicting a student body of 2,800 to 2,900, or only a slight gain over the 2,718 last fall.

Meanwhile, educational facilities of the University are being strengthened. New classroom, library and office space is being rushed to completion, officials "keeping their fingers crossed" that the temporary structures will be ready for occupancy by Sept. 15.

Two of the six barracks from the War Assets Administration are being converted into a supplementary library reading room, three are being remodeled as classroom buildings, and one as an office building.

Approximately 3,000 new books have been ordered by the Bookstore for the fall term.

Twenty-four new faculty members have been secured, including several who began their duties during the summer session, and others are in process of appointment.

Four faculty members who were on leave of absence last year have returned to their positions. Leaves have been granted to six for 1947-48. Nine faculty members have resigned, two who were on one-year appointments completed the terms of their service, and one has retired, leaving a net gain of 10 over last year.

The curriculum is being expanded by the addition of new faculty. Departments of sociology and philosophy are being created; new additions have been made to the faculties of the speech, government, men's and women's physical education, physics and astronomy, and zoology departments.

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Carbondale, Ill., Aug. - A freshman Week for the approximately 1,000 new freshmen who will enter Southern Illinois University this fall will be held Sept. 10-13 before registration on Sept. 15-16.

Planned to give new students a chance to get acquainted with college life and to obtain the undivided attention of counselors in planning their college work, Freshman Week will be a combination of fun and "serious business."

This is Southern's first Freshman Week, although this pre-registration program has become a tradition at many of the nation's leading colleges and universitites.

Directed by the two student life deans, Miss Helen A. Shuman, dean of women, and Dr. Marshall S. Hiskey, dean of men, Freshman Week will intorduce the new students to campus leaders, both faculty and students.

A convocation on Wednesday morning, Sept. 10, at 10 a. m. will open the orientation season, followed by a "family picnic" on the campus lawn, to which freshmen are urged to invite their parents and families, so that they too may have a chance to see the campus and become acquainted with some of the faculty and students

Freshmen tests, physical examinations, tours of the campus, registration demonstrations, and conferences with deans and faculty counselors are scheduled during the daytime.

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The evenings will be devoted to recreation--a sing, parties, a picnic, a free movie. Mid-morning snacks are also planned.

On Friday and Saturday the YM and YWCA will sponsor a week-end camping trip at Lake Benton.

Fraternities and sororities will hold rush activities during the last part of the week.

All prospective students who expect to enroll as freshmen at Southern this fall are expected to participate in Freshman Week, Miss Shuman and Dean Hiskey stated.

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Carbondale, Ill., Aug. - Award of the new $2,000 Murray C. Evans Memorial Scholarship at Southern Illinois University to Evan L. Hill of Marion has been announced by the executive committee of the SINU Foundation.

This large scholarship, recently established by Mrs. H. H. Evans of 5237 Washington Blvd., St. Louis, in memory of her son who was killed in action in World War I.

Under terms of the donor's gift, the scholarship was to be conferred on some needy, deserving student.

The award is for a two-year period, with a $1,000 stipend for each year. Hill, a freshman at Southern during last year, was selected by the foundation's executive committee from a list of nominations submitted by the University committee on scholarship, awards, and honors.

Members of the foundation's executive committee are J. E. Etherton of Carbondale, chairman, W. E. Walkup of Carbondale, and Lindell W. Sturgis of Metropolis. Gen. Robert W. Davis of Carbondale is president of the foundation.

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SOUTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY INFORMATION SERVICE

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8-29-47

Carbondale, Ill., Aug. -Football practice will start at Southern Illinois University Wednesday, Sept. 3, Coach Glenn "Abe" martin has announced.

Martin invited all hopefuls to report for practice. He expects about 20 lettermen from last year's squad to return this year.

Southern will play a nine-game football schedule this year, for the first time in many years, with a six-game card arranged for the team, Martin said.

The Intercollegiate schedule includes the following matches.

Sept. 27, Scott Field at Carbondale; Oct. 4, Evansville College at Carbondale; Oct. 11, Indiana State College at Terre Haute, Ind.; Oct. 18 Western Illinois State College at Macomb; Oct. 25, Northern Illinois State Teachers College at Carbondale--Southern's Homecoming game; Nov. , Arkansas State College at Jonesboro, Ark.; Nov. 8, Illinois State Normal University at Normal; Nov. 15, Eastern Illinois State College at Carbondale; Nov. 22, Southeast Missouri State Teachers College at Cape Girardeau, Mo.

Southern's four home games will be broadcast over both Station JPF, Herrin, and WCIL, Carbondale.

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Carbondale, Ill., Aug. -Student employment practices at Southern Illinois University have undergone an extensive revision and working students this year will receive an average of approximately 10 cents per hour higher wages than last.

For many years Southern has been noted for the opportunities given students to earn-while-they-learn, by making available large numbers of part-time jobs on the campus.

Increasing amounts have been made available for student help during the past two years, and last year more than 500 students held part-time jobs, 426 of them working for the University itself.

This summer, all University student jobs have been studied, reclassified and the type of work re-evaluated by the Student Employment Service, according to Dr. Marshall S. Hiskey, director. The rate scale has been raised from a floor of 35 cents to 40 cents per hour, and a ceiling of 74 cents to 83 cents.

Under the new job classification system, students are given full credit for training and experience in terms of higher wages, and inconsistencies in wages paid to students working in different branches of the University have been eliminated.

Under the new system and with the new wage scale, it is expected that the average job will pay approximately 10 cents per hour more

than last year, Dean Hiskey said.

Last year, the average student worker received 40 cents per hour and worked 75 to 100 hours per month. This year, the average will be nearer 50 cents per hour.

Student jobs on the campus include stenographic work in University offices, radio technicians' jobs, mailing, assisting in testing programs, ticket-taking, etc., campus photography, janitorial and grounds work. Many students are assigned to responsible duties in University administrative offices.

In addition to campus jobs, many students hold jobs off-campus, working for downtown business houses or householders. The Employment Service reports increasing calls for student workers from businessmen and other off-campus individuals and firms.

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8-29-47

Carbondale, Ill., Aug. -If Southern Illinois University continues its two-year winning streak in basketball, the Maroons may have a chance to compete for the 1948 Olympiad in London.

Announcement has just come to Maroon Athletic Director Glenn "Abe" Martin that the U.S. Olympic Committee has approved plans whereby the winner of the Kansas City National Invitational Basketball Tournament will be one of the contestants in final tryouts March 27-31 to select the squad to represent the United States in the Olympiad.

Southern has participated in the Kansas City tournament for the past three years and won the 1946 tournament.

The U.S. tryouts, to be held in Madison Square Garden, will have three AAU teams and one YMCA team in one bracket, and the NCAA finalists, the Kansas City NIAB Tournament winner, and the Madison Square Garden Invitation Tournament winner in the other bracket.

District 20 of the Kansas City tournament set-up, in which Southern plans, will hold its tryouts the first week in March to select the team to enter the competition, Ray Hanson of Western Illinois State College, district chairman, has written Martin.

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SOUTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY INFORMATION SERVICE

Lorena Drummond, Editor

9-5-47

Carbondale, Ill., Sept. - More than 50 gridsters--most of them holdovers from last year's conference runner-up team--have reported for pre-season football practice at Southern Illinois University.

Calisthenics, limbering-up exercises, and a little punting and passing have been on the docket this week for the Maroons, according to Coach Glenn "Abe" Martin.

Light scrimmages are planned for next week, and the Maroons will get down to serious business immediately after registration Sept. 15, to polish up their opening game with Scott field here Sept. 27.

Sixteen letter-men from last year's team are on hand: Fullback Jack Stevens of West Frankfort; halfbacks George Beltz of West Frankfort, Bob Johnson of Royalton, Bill Malinsky of Flora, Roy Ragsdale of DeSoto, Don Riggs of Fairfield, Dick Seelman of Flora; ends Bob Colborn of Flora, Galen Davis of DuQuoin, and Leddio Cabutti of Johnston City; guards Bill Cosgrove of Benton, J. J. Pieron of Murphysboro; tackles Jim Lovin of Benton, Charles Mathieu of Eldorado and Bill Thompson of Mt. Vernon; center Charles Crouch of Carbondale.

Other squadmen from last year or earlier include Harry Banycky of West Frankfort, halfback; Carl Birkner of Pinckneyville, halfback; John Corn of Benton, Bill Cox of Marion, tackle; Gary Dangutis of Johnston City; xxxxxxxxxx J. L. Gross of DuQuoin, guard; Truman Hill of Benton, tackle; Clyde Leilich of New Athens, guard; Bret McGinnis of Carbondale, halfback; Paul Mitchell of Murphysboro, guard; George Sawyer of Wood River, halfback; Mike Sortal of Zeigler, guard; Quentin Stinson of Eldorado, end.

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New material out for pre-season practice includes: Bill Bleyer of Carterville, Bill Carlton of Marion, Walter Clark of Carbondale, Morris Colson of Marion, Donald Cross of Christopher, Forrace Derrickson of Mulkeytown, Snide Etherton of Hoopeston, Carrol Fletcher of Benton, Pat Kelly of Murphysboro, Harold Kuehn of Elkville, William Mary of Collinsville, Gordon McGinnis of Carbondale, Lewis Mitchell of Carmi, M. W. Moreton of Mt. Vernon, Bob Proctor of Zeigler, Jim Renfro of Carbondale, Allen Russell of Carbondale; John Shields of Mt. Vernon, C. N. Smith of West Frankfort, Jim Travelstead of Marion, Luther Larr of Anna, Paul Tripp of Elkville, Howard Jones of Benton, Dick Brown of Elkville, and W. B. Anderson of Albion.

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9-5-47

Carbondale, Ill., Sept. - Charles Bert Beatty, football and track athlete from Southern Illinois University, has accepted a position as industrial arts teacher and physical education assistant at Benton Township High School, according to Raymond H. Dey, director of the University Placement Service.

Beatty, whose home was Carbondale, graduated from Southern in August with the bachelor of science in education degree, majoring in physical education.

While a student he lettered in football and track, and captained the track team in 1947. He was also selected for inclusion in Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities. A veteran, is married and has one child.

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9-5-47

Carbondale, Ill., Sept. - A series of district conferences on school reorganization are scheduled for the latter half of September in various centers throughout Illinois, under the joint sponsorship of a number of state educational institutions and other agencies.

The opening conferences will be held at Fairfield Sept. 15 and another is to be held here at Southern Illinois University Sept. 18.

Theme of the conferences will be "The Organization of Community Schools in Illinois."

Sponsoring agencies include the Illinois Rural Education Committee, the six state-supported high educational institutions of Illinois, of which Southern is one, and the Interfaith Committee for Rural Pastors' Short Courses and Conferences.

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9-5-47

Carbondale, Ill., Sept. - Committees of students and faculty at Southern Illinois University are already making plans for Religious Emphasis Week, to be held here November 9-14.

Several planning sessions have been held during the summer and suggestions coming from these meetings will be submitted to a general meeting of the executive committee as soon as the University opens Sept. 15, according to Dr. Douglas MacNaughton, director of the Student Christian Foundation and executive secretary for Religious Emphasis Week.

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9-5-47

Carbondale, Ill., Sept. - Freshmen and other new students will have a chance to wear off some of their "greenness" before uperclassmen hit the campus this year at Southern Illinois University.

A five-day Freshman Week, planned to give new students an orientation course in the University itself, will open Wednesday morning, Sept. 10, in Shryock Auditorium.

University President Chester F. Lay will keynote the opening of Freshman Week, and Dr. Charles D. Tenney, administrative assistant to the president, will introduce to the new students "the people you should know"--deans, registrar, housing counselor, athletic director, health service director, veterans service officers, and other administrators.

On Thursday evening, Sept. 11, from 7:30 to 8:30 p. m., also in the Auditorium, student leaders will be on hand to meet the new students and give them the "inside story" on campus activities. "Get acquainted" parties will be held both Wednesday and Thursday evenings.

Other periods on the Freshman Week program will be devoted to instructing the newcomers in how to register and how to use the library; to giving them their required freshman tests and physical examinations; to individualized counseling as to their courses of study.

All freshmen are expected to attend Freshman Week activities, and all new students are invited to do so, according to Miss Helen A. Shuman, dean of women, and Dr. Marshall S. Hiskey, dean of men, who are jointly sponsoring the event.

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9-5-47

Carbondale, Ill., Sept. - Lt. Col. G. W. McLain, who graduated in 1921, stopped at his alma mater here, Southern Illinois University, this week en route to his new assignment in Korea.

Colonel McLain, whose home was formerly Equality, was accompanied by his wife, the former Marion Blatter of Golconda, who also attended Southern in 1920-21.

First editor of The Egyptian, student newspaper at Southern, established in 1920-21, McLain went to the U. S. Military Academy after his graduation here and has remained in military service. During the war years, for five and a half years, he was chief of supply at Fort Knox, Ky., and prior to that had served as the first quartermaster at the then-new Camp Blanding, Fla.

When he reaches Korea, he will serve under another Southern alumnus, Lt. Gen. John Reed Hodge, who has been in command of the U. S. forces invading and occupying Korea. He expects to serve in the Supply Division.

Colonel and Mrs. McLain paid a visit to University President Chester F. Lay and one to Mrs. Melissa Hodges of Carbondale, mother of General Hodge.

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SOUTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY INFORMATION SERVICE

Lorena Drummond, Editor

9-8-47

Carbondale, Ill., Sept. 8 - To the natural academic hazards they face at registration, students who come to Southern Illinois University this week for Freshman Week and next Monday for fall term registration must add traffic hazards as well.

Main highway traffic today became temporarily routed by State Highway officials through the University campus, to divert the northbound flow from Grand Avenue, where contractors are busy excavating for the University's new heating and electrical tunnel system.

How long the campus will be used as a highway is not certain, but contractors and highway officials have assured University authorities that the job will be rushed. Crossing of Grand Avenue should require only a matter of weeks, weather permitting, it is believed.

Meanwhile, precautions are being taken that the highway route is plainly marked for pedestrian students, and special officers will be stationed at intervals to protect the walkers, according to Dr. Neal Phelps, director of the University physical plant.

Diversion of traffic will also eliminate campus parking, and steps are being taken to provide additional parking areas adjacent to the campus.

Excavation for the new steam tunnels is going forward rapidly on the main campus in an effort to complete installations before winter sets in, so that the campus may be re-seeded with grass and shrubs and restored to its former unmarred beauty by spring.

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9-8-47

Carbondale, Ill., Sept. - Five more new faculty members and a new audio-visual aids director have been added to the staff of Southern Illinois University for this fall, President Chester F. Lay has announced.

Donald A. Ingli has been appointed director of the Audio-Visual Aids Service, formerly known as the Film Service and directed on a part-time basis by a faculty member.

Mr. Ingli, an assistant professor, graduated from the River Falls (Wisc.) State Teachers College and obtained his master's degree from the University of Minnesota. He has also done advanced work toward the doctor's degree in the field of audio-visual aids at the University of Wisconsin, where he has been teaching.

The Film Service was formerly directed by the late C. C. Logan, assistant professor of University High School, who retired a year ago.

Under Mr. Ingli's direction the Audio-Viaual Aids Service will be expanded not only for classroom instruction at the University but also in its services to the public schools of Southern Illinois, President Lay said.

Other appointments include:

Dr. Claude J. Dykhouse as associate professor of education. Dr. Dykehouse, a graduate of Michigan State College and holder of both the master's and doctor's degrees from the University of Minnesota, has been teacher and principal of Plymouth (Mich.) high school.

Dr. Elbert H. Hadley as associate professor of chemistry. Dr. Hadley has had extensive experience in industrial chemistry with DuPont. He obtained his doctor's degree at Duke University, where he

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taught for a time, and holds the bachelor's and master's degrees from the University of Michigan.

Dr. George L. Cherry as assistant professor of history. He comes to Southern from the staff of Wilson Junior College in Chicago, where he has been teaching since his discharge from the Army Air Forces. He holds the bachelor's and master's degrees from the University of Illinois and the doctoral degree from Northwestern University.

Miss Kate E. Moe as assistant professor of music, to teach vocal music. She holds the bachelor's degree from the University of Minnesota and the master's degree from the University of Idaho, and has carried on professional music study at the Minnesota College of Music, the Boston Conservatory of Music and the Danish Royal Conservatory of Music in Copenhagen. For two years a lieutenant (j.g.) in the Coast Guard, she has taught at the Itasca (Minn.) Junior College, the Dickinson (N.D.) State Teachers College and Valparaiso University.

Miss Pauline DeHass as assistant professor of home economics to take the place this year of Miss Gladys Babcock, who is on sabbatical leave to study at Cornell University. Miss DeHass holds the bachelor of science degree from James Millikin College and two master's degrees, one from Presbyterian College, the other from Columbia University. A former teacher at the State College of South Dakota, she has been head of the home economics department at Missouri Valley College and has had several years experience as a dietician at Illinois hospitals.

President Lay also announced the resignation of Mrs. Elsie Parrish McNeill, instructor in rural education, who has accepted a position in Florida.

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Two teachers who had accepted appointment to the University faculty for this fall have asked to be released, Dr. Lay said. They are Henry J. O'Reilly of Oregon City, Ore., as assistant professor of agriculture, and Dr. Quinter M. Lyon as professor of philosophy. Negotiations are under way to fill both of these positions.

Appointment of Mr. Ingli, Dr. Dykhouse, Miss Moe and Miss DeHass brings the total number of new faculty members this summer and fall (excluding summer visiting teachers) to 34. Mrs. McNeill's resignation is the 10th effective since June. In addition, one faculty member has retired, two whose terms of appointment had expired have left the campus, and six have obtained leaves of absence for 1947-48. Four faculty members on leave last year, however, have returned to their duties, so that the net increase over last year is 19.

Several other appointments of new personnel are pending for the 1947-48 session.

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SOUTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY INFORMATION SERVICE

Lorena Drummond, Editor

9-9-47

Carbondale, Ill., Sept. - Five more new faculty members have been added to the staff of Southern Illinois University, effective this fall, making a total of 29 full-time additions in the past three months, President Chester F. Lay has announced.

The new appointees include:

Dr. Kenneth D. Luney as associate professor of economics. Dr. Luney, who has served as a visiting member of the summer faculty, came from Panama, C.Z., where he was personnel director for the U. S. Employment Service. A graduate of Geneva College, he holds both the master's and doctor's degrees from the University of Illinois, where he also formerly taught. He has also taught at Indiana State Teachers College and Huron College.

Cameron W. Garbutt as assistant professor of speech, in charge of speech correction work. Mr. Garbutt graduated from Northwestern University and obtained the master's degree from the University of Washington. He has taught at the University of Washington, at Louisiana State University, and at Cornell University.

Miss Emily E. Farnham as assistant professor of art. Miss Farnham holds the bachelor's degree from Kent State University and the master's degree from Ohio State University. She has done further study at the University of California and at California College of Arts and Crafts. She has taught at Ohio State, Michigan State College, Oklahoma A. & M. College, Utah State College, and Stout Institute.

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Ralph Boatman as instructor in physiology and health education and health coordinator. Mr. Boatman, one of two Illinoisans to receive a public health education fellowship from the State of Illinois last year, obtained the master of public health degree this summer from the University of North Carolina. He obtained his bachelor's degree from Southern. Under his new appointment he will teach part-time on the campus and will devote the remainder of his time to setting up health workshops and to teaching extension classes in Southern Illinois. The Kellogg Foundation will assist in paying Mr. Boatman's salary under terms of the University-foundation cooperative health education program.

Miss Helen Blackburn as instructor in the mathematics department. Miss Blackburn, whose home is in Salem, received both her bachelor's and master's degrees from Southern, and has previously served as a graduate assistant and as a faculty assistant in the mathematics department here.

In addition to these five full-time appointees, President Lay also announced the appointment of two additional part-time mathematics teachers--Miss Gladys Rice Clark and Miss Dorothy Cox, both of whom taught part-time here last year. Miss Clark is a master's degree graduate from Teachers College, Columbia University, and Miss Cox holds the master's degree from the University of Iowa.

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9-3-47

Carbondale, Ill., Sept. - Two new department chairmen have been named at Southern Illinois University, President Chester F. Lay has announced.

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Dr. Lewis A. Maverick, professor of economics, has been appointed chairman of the economics department. Dr. Maverick, who holds the bachelor's degree from Washington University, the doctor of education degree from Harvard University, and the doctor of philosophy degree from the University of California, where he was chairman of the economics department.

The economics department chairmanship has been vacant for some years.

Dr. Floyd F. Cunningham, associate professor, has been named acting chairman of the geography department, succeeding Dr. Thomas F. Barton, resigned. Dr. Cunningham comes to Southern this fall after 17 years head of the geography department at State Teachers College, Florence, Ala. He formerly taught at Illinois State Normal University and at George Peabody College for Teachers.

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(Note to Editor: This is one of a series of articles prepared to acquaint the people of Southern Illinois with the way in which Southern Illinois University is developing as a university. Each article will deal with one of the organized branches of the University and will recount its progress during the past year.)

9-10-47

Carbondale, Ill., Sept. -Expansion of three departments, additional personnel for six other departments, a new building for the foreign language department, recognition for the whole college in national educational circles--these are the attainments of the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences at Southern Illinois University during the past year.

Three of the college's 11 departments will start the fall term with new faculty positions created and filled, thus giving them the largest faculties they have ever had. These new positions are in chemistry, government and sociology.

(The department of English last year had built up a faculty of 13, compared to its previous peak of 12. With two replacements this year, for a retiring member and for a teacher on sabbatical leave, it again has 13 teachers this fall.)

In all, 13 new faculty members are joining the staff of the college this fall. The new personnel includes an associate professor of chemistry, two associate professors of English, an instructor in languages, an associate professor and an assistant professor of geography, an associate professor in government, an assistant professor

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of history, an associate professor and an instructor in mathematics, an associate professor of physics, and two associate professors of zoology.

A substantial number of part-time instructors and graduate assistants will also serve in the various departments of the college this year as they did last, in order to help care for the large enrollment.

There still remain a few key positions in the college which must be filled, and appointments will be made as soon as qualified teachers can be found, Dean Abbott said.

A bacteriologist, a geologist and a philosophy teacher are urgently needed, and it is planned to establish instruction in anthropology and archaeology as soon as possible. It is hoped that all of these positions can be filled within the current biennium.

The foreign language department, long overcrowded in the Main Building, this fall will move into its new home in one of the residences recently purchased by the University, at the corner of Grand and Illinois Avenue. These quarters will make it possible to carry on the instructional work of the department more effectively, since language records can be played without disturbing other classes.

This department this fall will have on its staff as a part-time faculty assistant Senor Jose Luis Reyes from the National University of Mexico. Senor Reyes who came here this summer as a graduate student and holder of the first International Scholarship given by the 149th District of Rotary, will teach conversational Spanish.

Three new department chairmen have been named in the college during

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the summer: Dr. W. B. Schneider, chairman of the English department, replacing Miss Emma Bowyer, who retired this fall after 26 years in that capacity; Dr. J. R. Purdy, acting chairman of the mathematics department, replacing Dr. J. R. Mayor, on leave of absence; and Dr. Floyd F. Cunningham, new assistant professor of geography, acting chairman of the geography department, replacing Dr. Thomas F. Barton, resigned.

Two teachers from the college of Liberal Arts and Sciences have been granted sabbatical leaves to carry on advanced study this year--Mrs. Edith Krappe, assistant professor of English, at the University of Pennsylvania, and Miss Madeleine Smith, assistant professor of foreign languages, at Yale. Joseph Baxter, instructor in history, is on leave of absence for the fall term, to do research work in Latin America, but will return for the winter term.

Since its establishment as a separate branch and Dr. Abbott's appointment as dean in the fall of 1945, the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences has grown substantially in enrollment. In the spring term of 1945, a total of 147 students were enrolled in this college, while in the spring of 1947 this number had increased to 581.

The college has graduated 128 students since its establishment as a separate branch--81 with the bachelor of arts degree, 47 with the bachelor of science degree.

National recognition for the college came last year with the University's election to membership in the Association of American Colleges, which is composed of institutions with accredited liberal arts colleges.

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9-10-47

Carbondale, Ill., Sept. - Extension courses will be started next week in 21 Southern Illinois communities by Southern Illinois University, Raymond H. Dey, deirector of the Extension Service, has announced.

Several additional classes will probably be opened in other communities, he said.

The fall term schedule at present includes the following:

Belleville, "School Administration," taught by Dr. Bruce Merwin; Benton, "School and Community," taught by four faculty members from the College of Education--Dr. Howard Bosley, Dr. Earl Hall, Willis E. Malone, and Dr. Victor Randolph.

Cairo, "American Poetry," taught by Dr. Robert Faner; Carmi, "Safety in Physical Education" and"Physiology of Exercise," taught by Frank Bridges; Centralia, "Child Devel pment," taught by Dr. Sina Mott; Christopher, "Rural and Elementary Curriculum," taught by Jean Fligor.

Cobden, "Recreational Music and Singing Games," taught by D. S. McIntosh; Edwardsville, "Rural and Elementary Curriculum," taught by J. Ward Dillow; Elizabethtown, "School and Community," taught by Malone, Bosley, Hall and Randolph.

Fairfield, "International Government," by Dr. Willis G. Swartz; Golconda, "American Public Education," taught by George Bracewell; Harrisburg, "School and Community," taught by Bosley, Hall, Malone, and Randolph.

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Marion, #Recreational Music and Singing Games," taught by Mr. McIntosh; McLeansboro, "Health Educational Methods Applicable to the Public Schools," taught by various members of the Health Education department staff; Metropolis, "Art Education in the Public," taught by Miss Lulu Roach; Mt. Vernon, "American Public Education," taught by George Bracewell.

Nashville, "Work of the Elementary Teacher," taught by Mr. Malone; Ridgway, "The Teaching of Health Education," taught by Ralph Boatman; Salem, "School and Community," taught by Bosley, Hall, Malone and Randolph; Sparta, "Social Psychology," taught by Dr. Joseph K. Johnson; and Vienna, a history course, taught by Dr. George L. Cherry.

All of the extension courses are taught by regular members of the University faculty.

The courses offered at Belleville, Benton, Cairo, Elizabethtown, Harrisburg, Salem, and Fairfield are all of graduate level.

Many of the extension courses are planned especially for teachers who need additional educational credits in order to maintain their teaching certificates, while others are available for those who wish to carry on advanced work.

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Release Saturday 9-12-47

Carbondale, Ill., Sept. 13 - Registration for the fall term at Southern Illinois University will open Monday morning, Sept. 15, at 9'o'clock.

Between 2800 and 3,000 students are expected to enroll by the time latecomers sign up. Some 1200 freshmen have already been accepted for admission, about 800 of them reporting several days ago for the first pre-registration Freshman Week.

For four days these new students have been finding out all the things they need to know about the University--how to register, what courses they must take, what grades are expected of them, how to use the library, what services the University offers them.

In addition, they have been getting a good strong dose of the social side of college life. Many of them were brought to the campus by their families on Wednesday, and one of the big events on the Freshman Week calendar was the "family picnic dinner" out under the trees on the campus that first day. The parents who came obviously enjoyed the opportunity to see the campus and meet the faculty members with whom their youngsters would work for the next year.

Parties, mid-morning snacks, singsongs and other recreational activities have lightened the strenous "business sessions" of Freshman Week, and most of the newcomers say they feel a lot more confident about starting their college career.

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The fall term at Southern will get under way with a meeting of all faculty members at 8 a. m. Monday in Shryock Auditorium.

Registration lines will form at the Gymnasium at 9 a. m. Students will register in alphabetical order, according to the following schedule;

Monday: 9 a. m.--students whose last names begin with the letters Q through S, and all Public Law #16 veterans; 10 a. m.--T through Z; 11 a. m.--A through B; 1 p. m.--C through E.

Tuesday: 9 a. m.--F through H: 10 a. m. L through MC; 11 a. m., M through P; 1 p. m.--all others.

Classes will start Wednesday morning.

Campus laboratory schools will also get under way next week. Allyn Training School students, grades 1-6, and University High School students will register and pay fees starting at 9 a. m. Monday, with classes opening Tuesday. Registration for the Kindergarten and Nursery School will be held Tuesday, with regular work starting Wednesday.

Activities for students and faculty will get in full swing next week. A party for all students interested in music will be held by the music department on Monday evening. On Tuesday evening, an all-University "mixer" will be sponsored by the Student Council. On Thursday, a convocation for upperclass students and faculty has been called for 10 a. m.

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Release Monday 9-12-47

Carbondale, Ill., Sept. - As the fall term opens at Southern Illinois University, the 1947-48 calendar is already crowded with social activities for students and faculty, entertainment programs, football games, conferences for off-campus groups, and other special events, with others being scheduled almost daily.

Already listed are the following:

September

15-16	Registration for fall term.
15	Party for all students interested in music
16	All-University Mixer.
17	Classes Start.
17	Southern Illinois Garden Judging School.
18	District Conference on School Reorganization.
18	Convocation for Upperclassmen and Faculty. 10 a. m.
20	Merit System Examinations for Public Assistance positions.
27	Football Game--Southern vs. Scott Field, McAndrew St Stadium

October

4	A.A.U.W. Workshop.
4	Rehearsals start for "The Messiah," all-Southern Illinois Christmas oratorio.
4	Football Game--Southern vs. Evansville College, McAndrew Stadium. Boy Scout Day.
11	Football Game--Southern vs. Indiana State. At Terre Haute, Ind.
Sept.30-Oct. 3	Egyptian Fire Fighters School.
13	State Teachers College Board Meeting. At Normal.
13	Lecture by Dr. Peter Manniche, president, International Peoples College, Elsinore, Denmark.
18	State Meeting of Junior Classical Association.
18	Football Game--Southern vs. Western. At Macomb.
20-25	Celebration in Recognition of Southern's New Status as a University.
24-25	Homecoming.

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25	Football Game--Southern vs. Northern, McAndrew Stadium.
31	Fall Meeting, Southern Division, Illinois Education Association.

November

1	Football Game--Southern vs. Arkansas State. At Jonesboro, Ark.
1	Southern Illinois Choral Clinic.
5	Concert by John Kirkpatrick, pianist.
8	Football Game--Southern vs. Normal. At Normal.
9-14	Religious Emphasis Week.
15	Football Game--Southern vs. Eastern, McAndrew Stadium.
20	University Orchestra Concert.
22	Football Game--Southern vs. Southwest Missouri State Teachers College. At Cape Girardeau, Mo.
27-28	Thanksgiving Recess.

December

2-6	Final Examinations for Fall Term.
8-9	Registration for Winter Term.
14	Presentation of "The Messiah."
16	Concert by University Band.
18	Christmas Concert by University Chorus.
20-Jan.11	Christmas Recess.

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Southern Illinois University
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Information Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

9-15-47

Attention: Sports Editors

Carbondale, Ill., Sept. 15 - With more than a week and a half of twice-a-day practices behind them, the Southern Illinois University Maroons begin regular afternoon football practice sessions today.

Heavy scrimmages are scheduled for this week as Coach Glenn "Abe" Martin looks for the starting combination to face Scott Field in the Maroon opener here Sept. 27.

Martin was non-committal about the prospects for a winning season. However, he did indicate that the Maroons probably will be ewual to last year's team, which finished second in the Illinois Inter-Collegiate Conference.

Men like Jim Lovin of Benton and Charles Mathieu of Eldorado provide the key to the Maroons' hopes this year. Both were outstanding freshman tackles a year ago, and have returned this season to high-light a powerful line. With capable players two and even three deep in the guard, tackle and end positions, there is little doubt about the strength of the Southern forward wall.

Only center remains a real problem, and with Bill "Cotton" Cosgrove of Benton, a former guard, working there, it should not long remain a worry. Quentin Stinson of Eldorado, long on height but short on varsity football experience, is also being drilled to relieve the center shortage.

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The backfield constitutes another worry at this early moment. All-conference star Bill Malinsky of Flora is probably the outstanding candidate for backfield honors. A brilliant passer, capable kicker, and hard-driving ball carrier, Malinsky will provide a real threat.

Dick Seelman, also of Flora, a quick-starting, smooth-running halfback and passer will report this week, after an injured ankle mends. Other halfbacks returning from last season who will probably see considerable action are George Beltz of Marion, Elusive Bob Johnson of DuQuoin, and Roy Ragsdale of Carbondale. At fullback sophomore Don Riggs of Fairfield has the inside track to a starting position against Scott Field.

Coach Martin says that he has been impressed by the performance of scat-back Bob Proctor of Zeigler, who is a freshman. Two others expected to provide a lift to the backfield are holdovers from the 1946 B squad, George Sawyer of Woodriver and Pat Kelly of Murphysboro.

Bret McGinnis of Carbondale, a reserve guard, has been practicing his skillful place-kicking toe, and will probably take care of extra-point tries as he did last year.

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9-15-47

Carbondale, Ill., Sept. 15- Approximately three dozen new faculty members made their appearance at Southern Illinois University at today's faculty meeting preceding registration for the fall term.

Last minute additions to the staff, not previously announced, included the following:

Miss Tina Goodwin as assistant professor in the Allyn Training School. Miss Goodwin, formerly critic teacher for the University at the Brush School in Carbondale, holds the bachelor of education degree from Southern and the master of arts degree from Teachers College, Columbia University. She has also carried on graduate study at the University of Tennessee and the University of Chicago.

Mrs. Esther Witcher as assistant professor in Wheeler Library. Mrs. Witcher holds the bachelor of science and the bachelor of library science degrees from the University of Illinois this summer. She comes to Southern from the library staff of the University of Illinois and has had extensive experience in several high school and city libraries.

Miss Thera Cavender as instructor in Wheeler Library. Holder of the degree of bachelor of science in library science from the University of Illinois, Miss Cavender obtained the master's degree from the University of Missouri. She has served as assistant librarian and cataloguer at the University of Illinois, and has also served in the

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libraries of the Peru (Neb.) State Teachers College and the University of Maryland.

Miss Orpha Jane Borgsmiller as faculty assistant in physiology and health education. A registered nurse, Miss Borgsmiller obtained her training at DePaul Hospital in St. Louis.

These four appointments bring to 38 the total number of new faculty members added to the University staff during the summer and for this fall.

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LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

Attention: Sports Editors

9-17-47

Carbondale, Ill., Sept. -For many years the name of Southern Illinois University's football team has been the Maroons, but this year rumor says it should be changed to the "Miners," or "Diggers," or perhaps even "Mudhogs."

The reason: the University's expansion program. A new power plant is being constructed at the south end of the practice field and this deep ditch, to hold heating tunnels, has been excavated down the west side of the practice gridiron.

Players reporting for practice must detour around this ditch, and then cross a range of outsize molehills of raw, yellow dirt. Having passed these ordeals, they find themselves thoroughly warmed-up and ready for serious drills.

Regardless of the narrow cramped area of turf left for practice, head coach Glenn "Abe" Martin is working his men at top speed in preparation for their first contest against the Scott Field Army Air Field here Sept. 27.

Having lost several fast backs from last year's conference runner-up team, Martin is searching for a smooth-working backfield. The line appears in good order, since it is not only large, but is also fairly fast. Early indications are that Maroons will deperd primarily on power for their offensive efforts.

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Carbondale, Ill., Sept. -Some 70 "honor teachers" from Southern Illinois will gather here for a meeting of Delta Kappa Gamma, national honor society of women teachers, Sept. 20, according to Mrs. Elizabeth Meehan, instructor in the Allyn Training School at Southern Illinois University, who is president of Alpha Kappa chapter here.

Members of the Carbondale area chapter will be hosts to Delta Kappa Gammas from the Centralia, the Harrisburg and the Mounds area.

A luncheon meeting will be held at Giant City Lodge Saturday at noon, when Dr. Robert Faner, associate professor of English at the University here, will speak to the group on "The Opera House Was His School," commenting on the poet Walt Whitman.

Miss Mary Entsminger, associate professor in the Allyn Training School and state vice president, will be a special guest.

The committee in charge of arrangements for the meeting here includes Dr. Vera Peacock, past president of the local chapter; Mrs. Beverly Treece, Miss Florence Wells, and Mrs. Meehan.

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Carbondale, Ill., Sept. -More than 2,700 students had enrolled at Southern Illinois University by the opening of fall term classes Wednesday, and as students sign up for night classes this week registration is expected to surpass substantially the final enrollment of 2,718 a year ago.

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Southern Illinois University
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9-17-47

Carbondale, Ill,Sept. -Two new agriculture teachers were added to the staff of Southern Illinois University at the opening of the fall term this week, University President Chester F. Lay has announced.

Dr. Lowell Tucker has been named associate professor and Marshall Grant Clark has been appointed assistant professor in the agriculture department.

Dr. Tucker holds the bachelor of science degree from the University of Illinois, the master of science from the University of New Hampshire, and the doctor of philosophy degree from Massachusetts State College. He formerly taught at all three of these institutions and also at Kansas State College and the University of Idaho, and has had extensive practical experience in agriculture.

Mr. Clark obtained both the bachelor's and master's degrees from the University of Illinois, where he taught for a time. He has also taught in the high schools of St. Joseph and of Dundee, and at the University of Missouri, and has had experience as a farm consultant.

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SOUTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY INFORMATION SERVICE
Lorena Drummond, Editor

9-19-47

ATTENTION: SPORTS EDITORS

Carbondale, Ill., Sept. - "The line does all the work, but the backfield gets all the glory." So goes an old football saying, and certainly there is a grain of truth in the statement.

Southern Illinois University has a very capable group of players, who, as linesmen, may not get much glory, but who will certainly be all important in the success of the 1947 Maroons.

From tackle to tackle Southern will field what is probably one of its best lines in history.

At left tackle will be Charles Mathieu, a 205 pounder from Eldorado. Powerful as a bull, Mathieu has earned a letter at Bucknell in addition to the one he earned last fall for his able work for the Maroons.

Jim Lovin of Benton is holding forth at the left guard position where he will team with Mathieu in trying to stop power plays to the right by other teams. Lovin also tips the scales at 205 pounds, and like Mathieu again, he starred last year in his freshman season, being placed on the All-Conference team and also being named "most Valuable Player" by his teammates.

Aggressive, cocky Bill "Cotton" Cosgrove of Benton is the man over the ball. An All-Conference center in 1944, Bill played an outstanding guard last fall, and should be even better this year now that he has returned to his old position.

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Right guard Bob Etheridge of Fairfield joined the college football big league at a tender age by playing for the powerful Iowa Seahawks of 1943 when he was fresh out of high school. In 1946 Bob suffered an early season injury here at Southern which limited his effectiveness, but seems to be ready to fight at top speed this year. Etheridge is light at 185 pounds, but he is very quick.

Big John Corn was an outstanding tackle in 1945 before entering the service. In the two years which have passed since he last played in a Maroon uniform he has gained 20 pounds of solid muscle, and now balances the scales at 210.

This is the core of the Southern team, tackle to tackle, which will start against Scott Field in the season's opener Saturday, Sept. 27, in Carbondale.

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SOUTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY INFORMATION SERVICE
Lorena Drummond, Editor

9-19-47

Carbondale, Ill., Sept. -A new handbook for student veterans has been issued by Southern Illinois University, pulling together a wide variety of information to answer the most frequent questions asked by former servicemen and servicewomen.

The booklet, called "Southern's Guidebook for Veterans," raises such questions as these and answers them: "How do I get credit for college work done elsewhere?", "How do I get credit for work done in my military unit?", "Can I enter college if I do not have a high school diploma?", "How do I get books and supplies?", "What amount of money does the Federal Government put on deposit for me as a veteran student?", "What will it cost me to attend the University?", "What if I need a job?", "If I should do unsatisfactory work in school, would I ever be able to get G.I. help in future training?" and many other queries.

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Carbondale, Ill., Sept. - Approximately 2,750 students had registered at Southern Illinois University during the first week of the fall term, the Business Office reports. Latecomers may continue to register through Sept. 26.

Last year, final registration for the fall term was 2,718.

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CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

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LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

Attention: Sports Editor 9-22-47

Carbondale, Ill., Sept. -Cooler weather has given added incentive to the intense practice drills which are on the docket for the Southern Illinois University Maroons this week as they gird themselves for their season opener Saturday afternoon against Scott Field here.

Head Coach Glenn "Abe" Martin stated that he knew nothing about the Army team. Good or bad, they will be a mystery to the Maroons until after the opening kickoff.

At Southern's first full scale scrimmage last Friday the Martinmen looked powerful, but slightly ragged. This raggedness, always present in early scrimmages, will probably be largely eliminated by the end of the week when the players have become more adjusted to each other.

That the line is strong, a fact already well known, was clearly demonstrated by the scrimmage, so attention is being given to the backfield.

Bill Malinsky of Flora, last year's captain, gave proof that he is ready to hold down the quarterback spot in good fashion. His sharp passes clicked well to end Bob Colborn, also of Flora, indicating the possibility of a Flora to Flora touchdown combination.

Right halfback George Sawyer of Wood River, a converted fullback from the 1946 "B" squad, showed that he has gained speed, and, with his wealth of power, may develop into a hard driving power runner.

Bob Johnson of DuQuoin, playing left halfback, proved that he has lost none of his elusiveness. Johnson's outstanding characteristic is his ability to follow his blockers, a skill which is often overlooked.

Athletic Director Martin has announced that all Southern Illinois coaches will be admitted to all Southern games, except at Homecoming, free of charge if they present themselves at a special ticket booth at the entrance to the stadium. High school players whom these coaches identify will also be admitted free.

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LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

9-22-47

Carbondale, Ill., Sept. -Saad Salih Jaber, son of the prime minister of Iraq, has enrolled as a freshman pre-medical student at Southern Illinois University.

The 18-year-old Iraqi is a graduate of the preparatory school of the American University of Beirut, Lebanon. His father is Prime Minister Salih Jaber.

Arrangements for young Jaber to study here were made through the American Embassy at Baghdad and the U.S. Department of State in Washington, according to University President Chester F. Lay.

"We are happy to have Mr. Jaber as a student here," President Lay said. "Exchange of students between the United States and other countries is, we feel, one of the important contributions the University can make toward international cultural relations.

"We hope that he will be happy here at Southern, and that he will become acquainted, through contacts with our Southern Illinois students, with some of the fine values of the American way of life. Having enjoyed a year myself in the Eastern Mediterranean, I am sure that it will be equally beneficial for our own students to have the opportunity of associating with a fine representative of one of the old civilizations of the Near East."

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Southern Illinois University
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LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

9-23-47

Carbondale, Ill., Sept. -Election of a student chairman and appointment of sub-committee chairmen this week set the wheels to going around at Southern Illinois University for Homecoming, scheduled for Oct. 24-25.

Bill Price of Texico was elected student chairman by delegates from more than 60 student organizations which will participate in planning the reunion for Southern alumni, according to Dr. Orville Alexander, director of alumni services and faculty chairman of Homecoming.

Coronation of the Homecoming Queen, a ball with music by a "big-name" orchestra, the Southern-Northern football game, a Little Theatre play, a parade, a bonfire and pep rally are traditional features of the reunion.

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Carbondale, Ill., Sept. -Fall term enrollment at Southern Illinois University climbed to 2,811 by Tuesday noon of the second week of the term, according to the Registrar's Office. Students may continue to enroll through the remainder of this week.

Final registration a year ago was 2,718.

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CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

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LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

9-23-47

Carbondale, Ill., Sept. -Two faculty members from Southern Illinois University were in Indianapolis early this week to serve on the program of the National Conference of County Superintendents being sponsored by the rural education department of the National Education Association.

Dr. Eugene R. Fair, dean of the College of Education, and George Bracewell, associate professor of education, served as consultants to discussion groups on school reorganization and on teacher recruitment, respectively, at the Indianapolis conference, held Monday through Wednesday.

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Carbondale, Ill., Sept. -Raymond H. Dey, director of extension and placement services at Southern Illinois University, is attending a national conference of city and state directors of adult education at Clear Lake Camp, Dowling, Michigan, this week, and will also attend a meeting of health coordinators and extension directors at Champaign this weekend.

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Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

Information Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

9-24-47

Attention: Sports

Carbondale, Ill., Sept. - Long Signal drills and fundamental practices in blocking and tackling have high-lighted football practice this week at Southern Illinois University as Coach Glenn "Abe" Martin whips his squad into form for their opener against Scott Field here Saturday.

Among those reporting late for practice was Bunker Jones of West Frankfort. In 1945 Jones played regularly with the University of Illinois at tackle and also did their place-kicking. For the Maroons the 220-pounder will operate at end.

Charlie Heinz of Gillespie, stellar center of last year, has been moved to the backfield, probably the left halfback position. Agile and powerful, 190-pound Heinz was transferred from the almost over-manned line to the somewhat under-manned backfield in a move evidently designed to balance line and backfield strength more evenly.

Although line positions seem to be pretty well set for the Scott Field game, it is probably that Coach Martin will do a lot of experimenting with his backfield, shifting personnell often in an effort to find an effective combination.

Early indications are that Bill Malinsky of Flora will draw the opening quarterback position, Bob Johnson of DuQuoin the left halfback assignment, George Sawyer of Wood River the right halfback duties, and Don Riggs of Fairfield the fullback slot.

Other backs ready for early use are Roy Ragsdale of Carbondale, George Beltz of Marion, Dick Seelman of Flora, Don Cross of Christopher, Willis Anderson of Burkburnett, Texas, Pat Kelly of Murphysboro and Heinz

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9-25-47

Carbondale, Ill., Sept. -The Southern Illinois University Maroons will open their schedule Saturday at 2:00 p.m. when they square off against Scott Field at McAndrew Stadium in Carbondale.

The Army men will find in the Maroons of Coach Glenn "Abe" Martin a team which is in excellent physical condition, ready to knock the lid off the season with zest. Scott Field still rem ains a mystery to the Maroons.

Although Southern sports a strong line, as well as a capable backfield, there is no great weight among the starters. Instead of hugh bulks of fat, the Maroons will generally range between 190 and 200 pounds, lean and hard. Heaviest starter will be John Corn of Benton, 210 pounds at tackle, while the lightest will be halfback Bob Johnson of DuQuoin, 155 pounds.

The backfield weight for the Maroons will be just under 180, with two men, George Sawyer of Wood River, halfback, and Don Riggs of Fairfield, fullback, going over the 190 pound mark. Quarterback Bill Malinsky of Flora weighs 170, making Johnson the featherweight of the crowd.

Passing and kicking duties will fall on Malinsky, whose aerials are always a dangerous threat. Targets for Malinsky's passes will be ends Bob Colborn of Flora, and Galen Davis of DuQuoin, who both have flypaper-fingertips.

Many other backs will probably see considerable action. Among them are: Charlie Heinz of Gillespie, recently converted center who has looked excellent in practice sessions; Roy Ragsdale of Carbondale, a dependable, speedy runner; George

Beltz of Marion who may serve as a spot runner; Don Cross of Christopher, a hard smacking fullback; Dick Seelman of Flora, an outstanding runner last year who recently has been switched to fullback; and Pat Kelly of Murphysboro, a scrappy little quarterback.

Tackle positions will be held down by two veteran stalwarts, Charles Mathieu of Eldorado and John Corn who will have operating beside them hard-hitting guards Jim Lovin of Benton and Bob Etheridge of Fairfield. At center two-letterman Bill "Cotton" Cosgrove of Benton will draw initial duty.

Two radio stations will broadcast the contest. They are WJPF, Herrin, with Ray Schmidt at the mike, and WCIL, Carbondale, which will feature Don Boudreau.

The Maroons have selected no captain as yet, but will do so sometime before they face Scott Field. Quarterback Bill Malinsky was captain last year.

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9-29-47

Carbondale, Ill., Sept. 29 -"The Evansville Purple Aces are probably the best visiting team to appear in Carbondale in my experience as a coach or as a player," Head Coach Glenn "Abe" Martin of the Southern Illinois University Maroons declared today in discussing Southern's next opponent.

This team, a veritable power-house, will meet the as yet only partially tried Maroons here Saturday, October 4. Last Friday Evansville opened its season by battling a strong Western Kentucky eleven to a scoreless tie.

Martin's Maroons found a soft touch in the Flyers of Scott Field last Saturday. Scoring early, often, and easily, the Southern team racked up an impressive 58 to 0 victory without getting up a strong sweat.

On the third Maroon play end Robert "Bunker" Jones of West Frankfort raced 63 yards on an end-around play for the first touchdown. Bob Johnson of DuQuoin, Southern's open-field running ace, followed soon with a 45-yard, dipsey-do run through the Scott Field secondary to put the Maroons safely in the lead.

In the second period the Maroons followed with two more touchdowns. One was a 16-yard-pass from quarterback Bill Malinsky of Flora to halfback Bill Wilkinson of West Frankfort, and the other a double-

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lateral going from Malinsky to Dick Seelman of Flora to Charlie "High Heels" Heinz of Gillespie who crossed the double marker.

In the second half, five more touchdowns were made. George Sawyer of Wood River went over from the eight, Johnson scored again, this time from the nine, Bill Malinsky raced 67 yards on a quarterback sneak, Heinz scored again from the 25, and Dick Seelman passed 33 yards to the end zone where Galen Davis of DuQuoin made a magnificient, story-book catch, to close the scoring.

"Bunker" Jones was successful on four of his nine placement tries for the point-after-touchdown.

The Maroon T-formation worked deceptively during the entire game, with Quarterback Bill Malinsky handling the ball smoothly and passing accurately.

Charlie "High Heels" Heinz, former center who appeared as a halfback for the first time and who scored two touchdowns, showed good speed, great power, and real elusiveness.

Southern will field a fast, powerful eleven against Evansville's strong Aces this Saturday at McAndrew Stadium. After loosing a hard battle last November to the Evansville crew, the Maroons are out for revenge, and both teams are definitely "loaded for bear."

Southern Illinois University
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9-30-47

Carbondale, Ill., Oct. -Work is being started this week on 27 a dditional apartments for married student veterans at Southern Illinois University, C. E. Heintzelman of St. Louis, engineer for Public Housing Authority, has notified University authorities.

Cherry Richards of Chicago is contractor on the project, located at the Illinois Ordnance Plant, approximately 10 miles from the campus.

Contract between the PHA and the Teachers College Board to provide these additional housing units was signed last week.

Meanwhile, finishing touches are being put to 68 veterans' apartments at the ordnance plant and it is expected they will be ready for occupancy shortly. These 68 have been remodeled from administration buildings, while the new group of 27 are to be erected as small units scattered among the trees, thus providing both privacy and an attractive setting.

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Release Wednesday 9-30-47

Carbondale, Ill., Oct. 1 -Red fire trucks, ladders, chemical apparatus and other firefighting apparatus are drawing the spotlight away from the operations of excavation machinery at Southern Illinois University this week.

Students and faculty pause now to inspect the equipment the Egyptian Firefighters Association have brought to the campus for their four-day school of instruction, under way this week. Meanwhile only the most confirmed "unofficial inspectors" continue to stand watch over the gouging of giant shovels scooping out earth for the University's new system of steam tunnels.

The firefighters--75 of them--are going to class from 9 to 5 daily, to learn all the newest techniques in fighting blazes.

Tonight the public is invited to witness an evening of fire-magic, staged in Shryock Auditorium on the University campus by the State Fire Marshall's Office. The performance is entitled "Smokie's Shenanigans and Sorcery."

Among the subjects the firefighters are studying this week are fire prevention, the fire department's obligation to the community, the community's obligation to the fire department, fires in explosives, chemistry of fire, electrical hazard, salvage, legal aspects of the fire service, arson and the fireman, care and maintenance of equipment, suggested activities for fire prevention week, and inspections

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The school was arranged by the following committee from the Egyptian Firefighters Association: Fred P. Haderlein of Early, chairman; Robert A. Gregory of Cairo; and Carrol E. Conder of Centralia.

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Carbondale, Ill., Oct. -To help business men, industrialists, doctors, lawyers, engineers and other specialists learn how to speak authoritatively on their respective fields in public, Southern Illinois University has opened a new extension course, according to Raymond H. Dey, director of the Extension Service.

The first class in this subject, "Business, Professional and Technical Speech," is being offered this fall at Cairo, under the direction of Dr. P. M. Larson, associate professor of speech.

With enrollment limited to 30, in order to provide adequate time for each class member to gain experience and receive personal attention, the class meets each Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock at the high school.

For many years, Southern's extension classes have been conducted almost exclusively for teachers, and have been given by the College of Education, Mr. Dey said, but increasingly courses are being developed by the other branches of the University for the Extension Service. The new speech class at Cairo, for example, is being given by the College of Vocations and Professions.

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Release Friday 10-1-47

Carbondale, Ill., Oct. -Led by a "Little All-America" tackle, the Evansville Purple Aces invade McAndrew Stadium here tomorrow afternoon at 2:00 p.m. when they face as host the Southern Illinois University Maroons.

Neither team has been defeated, although Evansville played to a scoreless tie against Western Kentucky last Friday. The Maroons easily defeated a very weak Scott Field team in McAndrew Stadium last Saturday, 58 to 0.

The annual Boy Scout Day will be celebrated this Saturday with hundreds of Boy Scouts from all over Southern Illinois planning to attend the Evansville-Maroon game. These boys are fortunate because the game they will see will probably be one of the best of the season, inasmuch as the strong Evansville eleven is probably one of the best teams ever to appear here.

Outstanding star for the Evansville team is Hawkins, right tackle, who was selected on the "Little All-America" team in 1946. Logal, Evansville's quarterback, is the man to watch in their backfield.

For the tussle, the Maroons will start the same as they did against Scott Field with one or two possible exceptions. Dick Seelman will work at fullback, since Don Riggs has suffered a charley-horse. Against Scott Field, Seelman looked good, blocking

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well and throwing a touchdown pass .

Evansville	Position	Southern
Offenberg	LE	Robert Jones
Rustler	LT	Mathieu
Hicks	LG	Lovin
D. Crouch	C	Cosgrove
Gerhardt	RG	Etheridge
Hawkins	RT	Corn
J. Crouch	RE	Colborn
Logal	QB	Malinsky
Galey	LHB	Heinz or Johnson
Page	RHB	Ragsdale or Sawyer
Endress or Bailey	FB	Seelman

Average weights: Evansville: Line average - 192; Backfield - 183
Southern: Line average - 193 Backfield - 175

Three radio stations will carry play-by-play broadcasts of the game. They are WJPF, Herrin, with Ray Schmidt at the mike; WCIL, Carbondale, with Don Boudreau; and WGBF, Evansville, with Dick Shively and Fred Rollison.

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Carbondale, Ill., Oct. -More than twenty men have reported for the Southern Illinois University cross-country team which was runner-up to Illinois State Normal University for the Illinois Intercollegiate Athletic Conference championship last year.

In the absence of Coach Leland "Doc" Lingle, who is occupied with football, the harriers are working out under the direction of team captain Bill Keene of Carrier Mills.

No schedule has been drawn for the cross-country men as yet, but the team will compete in the I. I. A. C. run at Charleston, Nov. 8. Other runs are in the process of being scheduled.

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10-1-47

Carbondale, Ill., Oct. 1 - Journalism credit for work on The Egyptian, campus newspaper at Southern Illinois University, will be given to students under terms of a campus publications policy authorized by the University administration and the advisory committee of the Teachers College Board, University President Chester F. Lay announced today.

With the establishment of a journalism department this fall, The Egyptian will become more closely integrated with the educational work of the department and will be used as a means of giving students laboratory work in reporting, other types of newspaper writing, editing, and advertising.

Although non-journalism students may work on the paper, all responsible positions, such as editor, business manager and departmental editors, will be filled by journalism students, elected by the Student Publications Council from lists of eligible candidates approved by the journalism department. The council is a joint faculty-student group, which under the new plan will be advisory to the chairman of the journalism department, rather than to the President, as was formerly the case.

"By operating The Egyptian as part of our educational activities, we hope both to provide better laboratory training in journalism and to

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make it possible for the school paper to raise its standards in line with sound professional practices," President Lay said.

Robert A. Steffes, instructor in journalism, will serve as acting chairman of the new department, President Lay said.

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10-2-47

Carbondale, Ill., Oct. -In preparation for the game Saturday against the Evansville Purple Aces here at McAndrew Stadium , Southern Illinois University Head Coach Glenn "Abe" Martin has been drilling a new backfield combination this week.

For starting operations behind the brawny Maroon line Martin has combined triple-threat quarterback Bill Malinsky of Flora with halfbacks Charlie "High Heels" Heinz of Gillespie and elusive Bob Johnson of DuQuoin. Dick Seelman of Flora at fullback completes the ball-toting quartet.

After his steller performance against Scott Field last Saturday, "High Heels" Heinz has drawn the starting position at left half in the Maroon's T-formation. Fast, and 195 pounds, Heinz may develop into a brilliant power runner.

Bob Johnson, who shared scoring honors in the opener with Heinz, each getting two touchdowns, has been shifted from left half to the right half position. Johnson is a jitterbug ball carrier who is dangerous from any spot on the field.

Dick Seelman has drawn the starting fullback assignment after doing yeoman work last week. Dick had an outstanding freshman season in 1946.

Don Riggs of Fairfield, who started at fullback against Scott Field, and who has recently been slowed by a charley-horse, reports his injured leg on the mend, and may be able to see limited action against Evansville.

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Accent in practice has been on pass defense, as Coach Martin drills his men to be alert for the sharp-shooting shots of Gene Logel, star passer of the Evansville "Purple Aces".

Assistant Coach Bill Freeburg leads his "B" squad charges to Cape Girardeau for their first game next Monday afternoon.

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10-2-47

Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - Trend of the times: As Southern Illinois University has become a university, expansion is the keyhote, and the 1947 Homecoming will be no exception.

Formerly a two-day celebration, the alumni reunion this year will be spread over three days, Oct. 23-25.

Tradition is being cast to the winds and a new tradition is being born, the Homecoming Committee has decided.

Coronation of the Queen, for many years a feature of the dance on Saturday night, will take place instead on Thursday evening, Oct. 23, and the Queen--whose identify is a close-kept secret until the moment of her coronation--will actually reign over all of the Homecoming festivities.

A program commemorating Southern's new status as a university will be held in connection with the coronation ceremony, according to Dr. Orville Alexander, director of Alumni Services, and Bill Price of Texico, student chairman of Homecoming.

A bonfire and pep rally will be held following the coronation. Also scheduled are a special student assembly and snake dance Friday morning, a little Theatre play Friday night, a giant parade Saturday

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morning, the Southern-Northern football game and a tea for alumni Saturday afternoon, and the Homecoming ball Saturday night.

"We're going to make this the biggest and best Homecoming Southern ever had," Price declared. More than 65 student organizations are participating in committee work in preparation for the celebration.

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10-2-47

Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - All Vocalists of Southern Illinois are invited to join in the chorus for "The Messiah," oratorio to be presented in mid-December by the Southern Illinois Oratorio Society, according to Dr. Maurits Kesnar, chairman of the music department at Southern Illinois University, who will produce the oratorio.

First choral rehearsal for "The Messiah" will be held at 7 p. m. Monday, October 6, in the Little Theatre at the University, The choir will rehearse each Monday night throughout October and November and the first two weeks of December.

The oratorio will be presented at Shryock Auditorium on the University Campus December 14.

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10-3-47

Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - Engagement of Ray Anthony's band to play for the Homecoming Dance at Southern Illinois University Oct. 25 has been announced by Bill Price of Texico, student chairman, and Dr. Orville Alexander, faculty chairman of the Homecoming committee.

Arrangements for securing the band were carried out by a sub-committee headed by Ralph Myers of Grand Chain.

Anthony's band is currently completing an engagement at Roseland in New York. He has the distinction of having the only band to play a five-week booking at the Chase Hotel in St. Louis, Price pointed out.

A former trumpeter with Glenn Miller's band, Anthony organized his own dance orchestra on his return from the Navy. While in the service, he played with submarine base bands in the South Pacific.

Southern's three-day Homecoming celebration is slated for Oct. 23-25, and this year will combine with the alumni reunion a number of events in commemoration of the school's new name, Southern Illinois University.

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10-3-47

Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - Southern Illinois University will open its 1947-48 radio broadcasts Monday Oct. 6, for the second year using the channels of three Southern Illinois radio stations as outlets, Miss Lorena Drummond, director of the Information Service, has announced.

Opening the year's schedule will be University President Chester F. Lay, who will speak Monday at 3:30 p. m. over station WCIL on "Southern Becomes a University."

Three series of programs will be broadcast--"The University Hour", a daily 15-minute program over WCIL (1020), Carbondale, at 3:30 p. m. Monday through Friday; "The Southern Hour," a 30-minute program over WJPF (1340), Herrin, Tuesday evening at 7 p. m.; and "Education Time", a 30-minute program over WJPF and WEBQ (1240), Harrisburg, each Friday at 2:30 p. m.

A different type of program will be aired each day of the week on "The University Hour." On Monday, the program will be entitled "Southern Comes Calling," and will present a faculty speaker; on Tuesday, "The Little Theatre," a radio play; on Wednesday, "Music Is Yours," presented by the music department; on Thursday, "Campus Chatter," featuring a different student organization each week; and on Friday, "Student Newscast."

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Production director for the program will be Dr. Archibald McLeod, assistant director of speech and drama, whose classes in radio speech and radio writing will handle the announcing and script preparation.

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10-3-47

Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - New editors for two student publications at Southern Illinois University have been elected by the Student Publications Council.

Fred Senters of Flora was elected editor of The Egyptian, weekly paper, while Carlos Pleshe of Buckner was chosen editor of The Obelisk, yearbook.

Donald Grubb of Vergennes was elected news editor of The Egyptian.

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Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - Postponement for a week of the first choral rehearsal for "The Messiah," oratorio to be presented Dec. 14 by the Southern Illinois Oratorio Society, has been announced by Dr. Maurits Kesnar, chairman of the music department at Southern Illinois University, who will produce the musical event.

Originally called for Monday night, Oct. 6, the first rehearsal has been postponed until Monday night, Oct. 13, at 7:30 p. m. in the Little Theatre on the University campus.

Dr. Kesnar said invitations have been sent to 93 churches in Southern Illinois, asking their choir members and members of their congregations to participate in the chorus. Other vocalists of Southern Illinois are also urged to join this group, he said.

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10-3-47

Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - Final enrollment for the fall term at Southern Illinois University has climbed to 2,850, compared to 2,718 last fall and 1,064 in the fall of 1945, the Registrar's Office Reports.

There are 1,999 men students in school this fall, and 851 women students, a ratio of well over two men to each girl, in contrast to the predominance of co-eds in the fall of 1945, when there were 735 women students and only 329 men students enrolled.

In addition to the 2,850 students attending classes on the campus here, Southern is conducting extension courses in more than a score of Southern Illinois communities. These courses, according to Extension Service Director Raymond H. Dey, have a total enrollment of 1,363, making a grand total fall term enrollment of 4.213. Last fall, there were 880 students enrolled in extension courses.

According to the breakdown of on-campus enrollment made by the Registrar's Office, 1,347 of the fall term students are enrolled in the College of Education, 665 in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, 757 in the college of Vocations and Professions, and 81 in the Graduate School.

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These totals for the various branches of the University compare with 760 for the College of Education, 253 for the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, 51 for the College of Vocations and Professions, and 26 for the Graduate School.

There are 1,148 freshmen enrolled this year, compared to 1,550 last fall and only 539 in the fall of 1945. The extraordinarily large freshman class last fall is attributed by the Registrar's Office to the large influx of veterans, coupled with the fact that many of the smaller high schools of this area graduate seniors only every other year, rather than every year.

The peak of veteran enrollment was apparently reached last fall, since enrollment of former servicemen and women is slightly lower this year than last. A total of 1,385 veterans--1,375 men and 10 women--are enrolled this fall, compared to 1,509 in the fall term last year. In the fall term of 1945 only 90 veterans had enrolled.

Last fall's large freshman crop is reflected in the substantially larger sophomore class this year, which numbers 885 compared to 616 a year ago. In the fall of 1945 sophomores numbered only 256.

There are 277 seniors enrolled this fall, 424 juniors, 10 post-graduate students (students who have graduated but who are taking additional under-graduate work), and 13 unclassified students.

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Southern Illinois University
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LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

Attention = Sports Editon 10-6-47

Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - After losing a hard, bitterly fought game last Saturday to the Purple Aces of Evansville College 7 to 0, the Southern Illinois University Maroons are drilling this week in preparation for their first away-from-home game against the Sycamores of Indiana State Teachers College of Terre Haute.

Indiana State has split even in two games, defeating Valparaiso University 13 to 0, and dropping to Illinois State Normal University 20 to 7 in the opener. If the Maroons can bounce back from their defeat by Evansville, they may defeat the strong "Sycamores," but a hard, close contest is expected.

Evansville's mighty team dominated play during most of the game, piling up 13 first downs to the Maroon's five. During the first half the Purple Aces were especially effective, getting nine of their first downs.

Late in the second quarter Evansville finally scored after threatening constantly earlier. Fullback Morris Riley bulled over from the four-inch line on fourth down to climax a sustained drive of 90 yards. Tackle Bob Hawkins kicked successfully to conclude the game's scoring.

Before Riley's game winning plunge, Southern's gallant line had repelled the stronger visiters five times within their 20-yard line.

Southern threatened seriously only twice. Each time they were stopped by the gun, once at the end of the first half, and the other time at the end of the game. (more)

After Evansville scored, George Sawyer of Wood River returned the kickoff to the Evansville 47-yard line. A pass, Bill Malinsky of Flora, to Sawyer, took the ball to the Evansville 15. Charlie "High Heels" Heinz of Gillespie lost back to the 20, but two tries by Don Riggs of Fairfield put the ball on the Evansville four-yard line, first-and-goal, when the half ended.

With only three minutes left in the fourth quarter, the Maroons took the ball on downs on their own 20. Bill Malinsky connected on three straight passes, two to Bob Colborn of Flora, and the other to Don Riggs, placing the Maroons on the Evansville 35.

A long touchdown pass failed, and George Beltz of Marion was stopped on a flanker pass as the game ended.

Outstanding for the Maroons was the play of three men, Bob Colborn of Flora, who played brilliantly at end, Bill "Cotton" Cosgrove of Benton, who scrapped effectively, and Robert "Bunker" Jones of West Frankfort. Jones was used strictly for defensive work bac king up the line, but there he did valuable work all afternoon.

The absense of John Corn of Benton, a strong tackle, from the Maroon lineup handicapped the Southern efforts. Corn was injured in the dressing room shortly before game time when he slipped and gashed his head.

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Attention Sports Editors 10-7-47

Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - Opening their season at Cape Girardeau Monday afternoon, the Southern Illinois University Maroon "B" squad defeated the Cape Girardeau "B" squad 12 to 7.

Both Maroon touchdowns came before Cape could once cross the double stripe. Coach William Freeburg indicated that he felt that his charges could have won by a much larger margin. However, he concentrated on playing everyone, thereby providing much needed experience.

Bob Proctor of Zeigler set up the first touchdown in the first quarter when he ran 20 yards to the Cape five. Eugene Hancock of Harrisburg carried the remaining distance for the score.

The Maroons second touchdown came at the beginning of the third quarter when quarterback Jim Metcalf of Murphysboro returned the Cape kickoff 95 yards for a touchdown behind beautiful blocking.

Cape Girardeau's only score came in the third period, when a blocked Maroon punt gave them the ball on the Southern five-yard line. Two line plays ate up the necessary distance for the touchdown.

Standouts in the Maroon line were Dante Patterozzi of West Frankfort at tackle, Howard Jones of Benton at guard, and Jim Renfro of Carbondale at center.

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10-7-47

Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - Ceremonies to celebrate its new university status will be held by Southern Illinois University in conjunction with its Homecoming, Oct. 23-25, University President Chester F. Lay has announced.

As an official opening for the joint celebrations, a distinguished educator who assisted Southern in achieving university recognition in educational circles has been invited to address students, faculty and alumni on Thursday evening, Oct. 23.

Dr. John Dale Russell, director of the Division of Higher Education, U. S. Office of Education, has accepted Southern's invitation to make the principal address on this occasion. His subject will be "Higher Education for Modern Needs."

Dr. Russell, former professor of education and former dean of students at the University of Chicago, for a number of years served as secretary of the commission on colleges and universities for the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools. It was in this latter capacity that he aided in securing from the North Central Association a "promotion" for Southern from the "college class" to the "university class" in its list of accredited higher educational institutions.

A native of Bloomington, Ind., Dr. Russell holds three degrees from Indiana University and has also studied at the University of Kentucky and the University of Chicago.

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He served as secretary of the School of Education at the University of Indiana, then for two years was director of research for the Indiana State Department of Public Instruction.

After a year at Ball State Teachers College, Muncie, Ind., he went to the University of Kentucky as associate professor of education for two years, then became assistant director of Surveys for Methodist Educational Institutions.

In 1931 he joined the faculty of the University of Chicago, serving at various times as secretary of the department of education, as associate dean of the Division of Social Sciences, and as dean of students.

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Southern Illinois University
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10-8-47

Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - Dr. Peter Mannische, president of the International Peoples College of Elsinore, Denmark, will deliver a series of lectures at Southern Illinois University, October 13-14, according to Dr. P. Merville Larson, chairman of the public lectures and entertainment committee.

Dr. Mannische will be presented in a public lecture at 8 P.M. in Shryock Auditorium on Monday evening, when he will discuss "International Understanding Through Adult Education".

His other appearences will be before education classes but two of these--Monday afternoon at 2 P.M. and Tuesday morning at 9 A.M., both in the Little Theatre--will be open to the public. His Monday afternoon talk will be on "The Folk High School Movement in Denmark and Scandanavia" while on Tuesday morning he will speak on "The Cooperative Movement in Denmark and in Scandanavia".

He will also lecture to an education class Monday morning at 10 o'clock on the folk high school movement.

Dr. Mannische is a student and follower of Bishop Grundtvig, probably the foremost educator and social reformer in 19th century Denmark, and originator of the folk high school idea.

The visiting educator has lectured extensively in England and on the continent of Europe. His visit to this country is under the auspices of the Institute for International Education. He will appear at Berea, Kentucky, before coming to Southern and will follow his appearence here by an engagement at the University of Minnesota.

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Southern Illinois University
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10-8-47

Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - Seven Southern Illinois University co-eds yesterday were nominated by popular student vote for Homecoming Queen honors, and four others--freshmen and sophomores--were nominated for the two Queen's attendant positions.

The Queen and her court will reign over Homecoming festivities Oct. 23-25, with the coronation ceremony scheduled for Thursday evening, Oct. 23.

Nominees are: Peggy Coleman of Marion, Joan Fairbairn of Harvey, Veda Hallam of Fairfield, Nada Kauzlarich of Christopher, Velma McCormick of Johnston City, Georgia Mircheff of Madison, and Doris Morgan of Sparta.

Also nominated were June Cannon of Marion and Martha McBrayer, of Benton but both withdrew this morning.

Nominated for Queen's attendants were Maxine Bumpus of Bonnie, Dolores Sharp of Benton, Mathilde Smith of Wilmette, and Doris Wade of Vandalia.

Final balloting on selection of the Queen will take place Tuesday, Oct. 21, but identity of the successful candidate will not be known until the moment of her coronation on Thursday evening.

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Attention=Sports Editors 10-8-47

Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - Indiana State Teachers College of Terre Haute will face a healthy Southern Illinois University Maroon eleven when the two meet at Terre Haute Saturday afternoon in Memorial Stadium.

With the exception of a few minor pains, the Maroons of Coach Glenn "Abe" Martin seem to be in excellent physical condition.

John Corn of Benton, right tackle who missed the Evansville game as the result of an injury sustained in the dressing room shortly before game time, reports that he expects to be ready for action by Saturday.

The cut he received on his forehead, which was closed by several stitches, is mending rapidly, and Corn has been handicapped only to the extent that he has not yet worn his helmet in practice.

Don Riggs of Fairfield, who saw very limited action against Evansville, has been running well in practice, and appears to be in nearly tip-top condition once again for heavy chores as fullback.

Last week when Riggs was injured, Dick Seelman of Flora took over the fullback slot. Now that Riggs has returned to form, Seelman is on the sick list.

Dick pulled up with a sore right hip in practice, caused by an injured nerve. However, Seelman's lame hip is coming along very well, and he will probably be ready to play against the Sycamores of Indiana State.

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Coach Martin has been working hard and long with backfield Coach Harlan Hodges in an effort to improve the Maroon's offense. Against Evansville's fine team, most of the yardage gained by Southern was via the aerial route.

In addition to long signal drills, with perfect timing as their object, the backfield has worked hard on both pass offense and pass defense. Most of the passing is being done by Bill Malinsky of Flora and Seelman.

George Baysinger of Carbondale is also assuming some of the passing duties, now that he has reported for practice. Baysinger is working at quarterback, and will team with Pat Kelly of Murphysboro in providing relief for Malinsky at the signal calling position.

Broadcast of the game Saturday will be carried by Carbondale radio station WCIL. Don Boudreau will be on the play-by-play, and Jim Bolen will provide color. This is the first out-of-town broadcast of the year, but will not be the last, since WCIL is broadcasting all games, home or away.

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Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

Information Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

Release Friday: 10-9-47

Carbondale, Ill., Oct. 10 - Twenty-nine strong, the Southern Illinois University Maroons left by bus at 12:30 this afternoon for Terre Haute, Indiana, where they face the Sycamores of Indiana State Teachers College tomorrow afternoon at Terre Haute's Memorial Stadium.

The Maroons itinerary includes a short lay-over at Mt. Carmel this afternoon where they will go through warm-up drills.

Maroons' probable starting line-up:

LE Robert "Bunker" Jones, West Frankfort
LT Charles Mathieu, Capt., Eldorado
LG Jim Lovin, Benton
C Bill "Cotton" Cosgrove, Benton
RG Bob Ltheridge, Fairfield
RT John Corn, Benton
RE Bob Colborn, Flora
QB Bill Malinsky, Flora
LHB Bob Johnson, DuQuoin
RHB George Sawyer, Wood River
FB Don Riggs, Fairfield

Other men making the trip are: ends, Galen Davis of DuQuoin, Leedio Cabutti of Johnson City, and Joe Hughes of West Frankfort; tackles, Warren Littlefort of Vandalia, Bill Kasich of Benld, and Quentin Stinson of Eldorado; guards, Richard Jones of Gillespie, J.L. Gross of DuQuoin, and Bertis Jones of Benton; centers, Charles Crouch

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of Carbondale, and J. Pieron of Murphysboro; quarterback, George Baysinger of Carbondale; halfbacks, George Beltz of Marion, Charlie Heinz of Gillespie, Roy Ragsdale of Carbondale, and Bill Wilkinson of West Frankfort; bullbacks, Dick Seelman of Flora and Don Cross of Christopher.

Radio station WCIL, Carbondale (1020), will carry the play-by-play broadcast with Don Boudreau at the mike.

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Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

Information Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

10-10-47

Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - Plans to continue "University Recognition" activities at Southern Illinois University throughout the year were laid at the University faculty meeting here this week, as University President Chester F. Lay appointed committees to study and plan a series of educational conferences.

Two ceremonies in recognition of Southern's new status as a university will be held here at Homecoming, Oct. 23-25. One will be an address on Thursday evening, Oct. 23, when Dr. John Dale Russell of Washington, D.C., director of the Higher Education Division of the U. S. Office of Education, will speak on "Higher Education for Modern Needs." A second ceremony will take place at the half-time at the Southern-Northern football game, when legislators and State Officials who made Southern's legal change of name possible are saluted and publicly thanked for their services.

The series of conferences to be held during the year will be developed around the themes "Teaching," "Research," and "Service," all functions of a university.

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Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

Information Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

10-10-47

Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - Seventeen High-ranking graduate students at Southern Illinois University have been appointed as graduate assistants for 1947-48, President Chester F. Lay has announced.

To qualify for these positions, a graduate student must show exceptional scholarly attainments and promise of being able to do significant research study.

Their assignments include such activities as grading papers, assisting with laboratory work, maintaining and analyzing records, and other duties connected with instruction and research.

Stipends ranging up to $83.00 per month are paid to these graduate assistants.

The appointees for 1947-48 include: Mrs. Maxine Harris Blackman. of Ramsey, assigned to the Inforamtion Service and Alumni Records: Miss Rosalie Brown of Percy, zoology department; Robert E. Collard of Jonesboro, University High School; Woodrow N. Fildes of Murphysboro, Mathematics department.

Lemuel Dalton Harry of Murphysboro, Dean of Men's Office; Billy O. Hoyle of Alto Pass, mathematics department; William Nyle Huffman of Carbondale, physics department; Amy Mae Jones of Poplar Bluff, botany department; David Kenney of Carbondale, government department; Miss Vivian Lupardus of Granite City, Dean of Men's Office.

Earl Patton of Eldorado, history department; Francis R. Paule of Belleville, Veterans Guidance Center; Pauline Potts of Keyesport,

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physiology and health education department; Virgil Seymour of Ellis Grove, sociology department; Arnold Wendt of Red Bud, mathematics department; Julius Swayne of DuQuoin, Museum; William Hatley of Carrier Mills, Curriculum Laboratory. ###

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Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - An oriental art exhibit will be presented at Southern Illinois University Tuesday evening, Oct. 14, by the Kappa Pi art fraternity.

William Marberry, assistant professor of botany, who was stationed in the Orient during the War and who acquired an extensive collection of art objects, will show his collection and give a talk on oriental art.

The program, which will be open to the public, will be held at 7 p. m. in Room 203A Main Building.

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Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - Co-Recreation Play Nights have been inaugurated at Southern Illinois University each Thursday evening, under sponsorship of student groups in the women's and men's physical education departments.

Faculty and students are invited to participate in the "co-rec" nights, which feature volley ball, ping pong, shuffleboard and other games. ###

Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

Information Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

10-10-47

Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - Dr. W. W. Meeks, new associate professor of physics at Southern Illinois University, is the co-author of an article in a recent issue of The Physical Review.

The article deals with the nuclear composition of Columbium, one of the little-known chemical elements.

The other co-author of the article, entitled "The Hyperfine Structure of Nuclear Moments of Columbium," was Dr. Russell A. Fisher of Northwestern University. Dr. Meeks was also at Northwestern before coming to Southern this fall.

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Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - The newly organized Illinois Folklore Society has issued its first publication, a small brochure entitled "Illinois Folklore."

Headquarters of the society are at Southern Illinois University, and present officers are all faculty members of the University.

John Allen, history curator of the Southern Museum, is president; D. S. McIntosh, associate professor of music, is vice president; Miss Tina Goodwin, assistant professor of education and first grade supervisor in the Allyn Training School, is secretary; and Dr. Jesse Harris, associate professor of English, is editor.

The first issue of the folklore magazine contains articles by Miss Goodwin, Grace Partridge Smith of Carbondale, Lelah Allison of Ellery, and Una Keeling of DuQuoin.

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Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

Information Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

10-13-47

Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - A game, alert crew of Indiana State Sycamores came from behind to defeat the Southern Illinois University Maroons 21 to 6 at Terre Haute last Saturday.

Southern scored easily in the early minutes of the first period, but after Indiana State came back with two quick touchdowns in the second period, the Maroons could not click offensively.

The game, played in sultry 80 degree heat, was characterized by the ability of Indiana State to capitalize on Maroon misplays. Of the three Sycamore touchdowns, two were direct results of Southern bobbles, one a funble, and the other an intercepted pass.

Early in the first quarter Bill Wilkinson of West Frankfort, Maroon halfback, ran an Indiana State punt back from the Maroon 48 to the Sycamore 36. Wilkinson gained two more, and then Bill Malinsky of Flora passed to Joe Hughes of West Frankfort on the 20 yard line.

Don Riggs of Fairfield lugged the ball around left end, behind good blocking, to the one yard line, and then scored on the next play when he crashed over center. Robert "Bunker" Jones of West Frankfort kicked wide in the attempt for the extra point.

Indiana State bounced back in the second period by recovering an Maroon fumble on the Southern 30. Graves passed to Brady for a first down on the sixteen, but two successive losses and a recovered fumble threw the Sycamores back to the 25.

Max Woolsey, Indiana State's brilliant running halfback, took

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over from the 25 and danced to the one-yard line. The Maroon line held for one down, but Faught, Indiana State quarterback, crashed center for the touchdown on the next try. Bob Chester kicked the first of his three successful extra point tries to send the Sycamores into a 7 to 6 lead.

Late in the same period the Maroons stopped an Indiana State threat when Bob Etheridge of Fairfield, Southern right guard, recovered a fumble on the Maroon three yard line.

Malinsky kicked out of bounds on the Southern 31. Woolsey once again broke loose for the Sycamores, running to the three before he was stopped. Quaterback Faught passed into the end-zone where his pass was received by end Stan Sajko, Sycamore captain.

The third Indiana State score came in the third period, when they stuck from their own 31 yard line on a long Graves to Baran pass good for the necessary 69 yards.

Outstanding work for the Maroons was turned in by end Bob Colborn and guard Bob Etheridge.

Playing at St. Louis, the Southern "B" squad was defeated by Washington University's "B" squad by a 20 to 0 score. All three Washington scores came in the first half.

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Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

Information Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

10-13-47

Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - Although the Southern Illinois University harriers were defeated in dual meet by the harriers of Eastern Illinois State Teachers College at Charleston last Friday by a score of 30 to 25, a Maroon runner took first place and set a new course record.

Joe McLafferty, Maroon freshman, set a new record when he covered the 3.25 miles course in 17:31, which was nine seconds better than the previous record.

It was the first time McLafferty, whose home is Carbondale, has ever participated in a cross-country run, but he is well known by track followers who remember that he placed second in the Illinois High School mile championship last spring.

Results:

First, Joe McLafferty of Carbondale(S); second, Glover(E); third, Spillers(E); fourth, Monier(E); fifth, Bill Keene of Carrier Mills(S); sixth, Buddy Miller of Carbondale (S); seventh, Barr(E); eighth, Bob Lunneman of Pinckneyville (S); ninth, Roosevelt(E); tenth, Bill Dorris of Benton(S); eleventh, McCulloch(E); and last, Leonard Burden of Herrin.

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Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

Information Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

10-14-47

Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - A college comedy, "The Poor Nut" by J. C. Nugent and Elliott Nugent, has been selected by the Little Theatre at Southern Illinois University as its Homecoming production, to be staged Friday night, Oct. 24, at 8 p. m. in Shryock Auditorium.

The Little Theatre play is traditionally one of the bit events of Homecoming.

"The Poor Nut" will be directed by Dr. Archibald McLeod, new assistant professor of speech.

Members of the cast have been announced as follows: "John Miller," Dale Kittle of Wayne City; "Margerie Blake," Phyllis Johnson of DuQuoin; "Julie Winters," Julia Ann Harper of Carterville; "Hub Smith," Ed Melvin of Tamaroa.

"Magpie Welch," Lewis Hammack of Sparta; "Spike Hoyt," Bob Veach of Herrin; "Wallie Pierce," George Seifert of DuQuoin; "Professor Deming," Art Carter of Anna; "Coach Jackson," Charles Weber of Cairo; "Doc Sepurney," John Sawyer of Moro; "A Freshman," Roy Elan of Anna; "Betty," Peggy Coleman of Marion; "Reggis," Dorothy Coleman of Carbondale; "Helen", Rosemary Woolard of Energy; "trackmen," Dave Kendleman of Anna, Don Harris of Benton, John Koonce of Watseka, and Vernie Barnett of Metropolis.

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Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

Information Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

10-14-47

Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - The language of the ancient Romans will be the prevailing order of the day next Saturday when approximately 100 high school Latin students come to Southern Illinois University for a one-day state meeting of the Junior Classical Society, according to Mrs. Evelyn Rieke, assistant professor of languages in University High School.

The group, meeting in the Little Theatre, will be welcomed by University President Chester F. Lay. Lynn Swigart of Clinton, president of the society, will reply to the welcome.

A song-fest of Latin songs, led by J. Cary Davis, associate professor of foreign languages at the University, will start the day's program. Other features of the morning program will be a play--in English--by the Murphysboro Classical Club, and a musical skit--in Latin--by the Springfield club.

Dr. John C. Lazenby of the University of Illinois will speak to the group in the afternoon, on the subject, "Crete and the Cycladic Isles."

Luncheon will be served to the group by the University High School home economics department, and delegates and their sponsors will be entertained at Anthony Hall and in homes of University High School students and faculty members.

Among the delegates will be students from Clinton, Paris, Streator, Springfield, Alton Senior High School and Alton East Junior High School, Edwardsville, Lakeview, Murphysboro, and University High School here.

A meeting of the executive board--composed of delegates from Streator, Edwardsville, and Clinton--will be held on Friday.

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Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

Information Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

10-14-47

Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - A regional group meeting of Methodist young people will be held at Southern Illinois University Thursday evening, Oct. 16, at 7:30 p. m. in the Little Theatre, Dr. Douglas MacNaughton, director of the Student Christian Foundation, has announced.

Approximately 300 young people from this area will be present, he said.

Speaker for the occasion will be Paul Sims of Marion, formerly a student at Southern and now attending McKendree College. Sims was chosen as the student from Illinois to attend the World Conference of Christian Youth in Oslo, Norway, last July, and will report to the group on that conference.

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Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - The faculty of Southern Illinois University this week voted to enter a faculty float in the mushrooming Homecoming parade, Saturday, Oct. 25.

Dozens of student organizations have indicated they would enter floats in competition for the several prizes, according to John Mulkin of Herrin, student chairman of the parade sub-committee, and a number of Carbondale civic organizations have voted to cooperate by entering floats.

The three-day Homecoming celebration will open Thursday night, Oct. 23, with ceremonies in recognition of Southern's new status as a university, coupled with coronation of the Homecoming Queen. Other "University Recognition" ceremonies will be held at the half-time at the Southern-Northern football game Saturday afternoon.

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Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

Information Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

10-14-47

Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - An exhibit of photographs prepared by LIFE Magazine depicting Venice, this beautiful Italian city which was the center of Renaissance culture, will be shown at Southern Illinois University Oct. 15-November 15, according to Ben Watkins, acting chairman of the art department.

The display will be shown in the Little Gallery in the Main Building.

The exhibition opens with a panoramic view of Venice in 1500 as imagined from the air by a Renaissance artist, with the Grand Canal winding through the heart of the city. The 24 enlarged panels then tell the story of the city as reflected in its government, religion, art and literature, civic and private architecture.

Included are color reproductions of paintings by Titian, Veronese, Giorgione and Carpaccio; photographs of St. Mark's, the Doge's Palace, the Sansovino Library, Palladio's church of San Giorgio Maggiore, and portraits of Vittoria, Sansovino, Titian, Aretino, Tintoretto, as well as pictures of other famed buildings and sections of the city.

The exhibition was prepared under the direction of John Goldsmith Phillips, associate curator of Renaissance and Modern Art, Metropolitan Museum of Art. The textual commentary, also by Mr. Phillips, quotes freely from various 15th and 16th century writers and describes the Republic of Venice at the height of its power.

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Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

Information Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

10-14-47

Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - A lecture-demonstration on "Sculpture in the Making" will be staged by a celebrated sculptor, Paul Manship, at Southern Illinois University Thursday evening, Oct. 16.

Model for the demonstration will be Carbondale's mayor, John I. Wright, who is associate professor of history at the University. Mr. Wright was selected by Ben Watkins, acting chairman of the art department, as possessing a head of distinctive contours and features.

Mr. Manship is considered America's leading worker in bronze, and is reported to be a delightful lecturer.

The public is invited to the lecture demonstration, which will be held in Shryock Auditorium, starting at 8:15 p. m.

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Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - Students and faculty at Southern Illinois University will be able to get flu and smallpox vaccinations at the University Health Service Thursday, Oct. 16, Dr. Marie A. Hinrichs, Health Service director, has announced.

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Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

Information Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

10-14-47

Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - Study of individual children and two seminars on psychoanalysis will be on the schedule for the quarterly Child Guidance Clinic to be held at Southern Illinois University Oct. 21-22, according to Dr. W. A. Thalman, clinic director.

Consultants for the clinic will be Dr. Sophie Schroeder, psychiatrist, and Mrs. Eadith Morales, psychiatric social worker, for the Illinois Institute of Juvenile Research, Chicago.

Children to be studied at the clinic have already been selected and their teachers or other sponsors notified, Dr. Thalman said. Persons interested in bringing other children for study should contact Dr. Thalman and arrangements will be made for them to be brought to the clinic at some future date.

More than 280 students and in-service teachers attended the staffings and seminars at the summer clinic, and more than 1,400 participated during the four clinics held during last year.

All staffings and seminars will be held in Main Building 101. Staffings are scheduled at 1 and 2 o'clock each day, and the seminars at 3 p. m.

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Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

nformation Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

10-15-47

Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - Tension has mounted high this week among the followers of the football fortunes of the Southern Illinois University Maroons.

After losing their second straight game last Saturday to Indiana State Teachers College, the Maroons have become dead serious.

Hard, long practices, the most extensive yet this season, are being held under the direction of Head Coach Glenn "Abe" Martin, as the Maroons prepare themselves to face Western Illinois State College next Saturday at Macomb.

The Western Leathernecks, who are undefeated in three starts, with victories over Illinois College and Quincy and a tie with Carthage, will find the Maroons weaker physically than they have been at any time previously this season.

An X-ray has disclosed that Robert "Bunker" Jones of West Frankfort, who has been performing yeoman chores backing the Maroons line, has a chipped vertebra in his neck and will be out for the season.

Two other major injuries have befallen the Martinmen. Bill Wilkinson of West Frankfort, halfback, and J. L. Gross of DuQuoin, guard, have also been injured and will be out from three weeks to the entire season, depending on how fast their injuries knit.

Wilkinson came up with a torn knee cartilage in scrimmage Monday. How soon he will be able to play again is largely a guess.

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Gross fell off the rings in his gymnastic class, injuring his shoulder, and is expected to remain on the sidelines for about a month.

After the poor showing the Maroons made against Indiana State, Coach Glenn "Abe" Martin ordered scrimmage for Monday, concentrating primarily on stepping up the Maroon offense, which has gained only one touchdown in the last two games.

Martin indicated after the practice that he was encouraged by the team's work during the scrimmage, inasmuch as the offense looked better than it had at any previous time.

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Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

nformation Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

Attention Sports Editors: 10-16-47

For Friday release:

Carbondale, Ill., Oct. 17 - At 12:30 today the Southern Illinois University Maroons left for Macomb where they face the Leathernecks of Western Illinois State College tomorrow afternoon.

The football squad, accompanied by the Maroon cross-country team, which will run a dual meet against the Western harriers, departed from the steps of Shryock Auditorium under the spell of a rousing pep rally.

This game, which is Western's Homecoming contest, marks the beginning of league play in the Illinois Intercollegiate Athletic Conference. Last year the Maroons finished second in the I. I. A. C., going undefeated in conference play until the last game when they fell to Northern's Huskies.

In the Western-Southern game played at Macomb last year, the Maroons came away on the long end of a 19 to 6 score. This year pre-game dope indicates a close battle.

Considering only won and lost records, Western has a definite edge with two victories and one tie against the Maroons' one victory and two setbacks.

However, the Maroons have faced much stiffer competition in losing to Evansville and Indiana State than Western has found in defeating Illinois College 40 to 0 and Quincy 20 to 6. A not too strong Carthage

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team battled Western to a 13 to 13 tie.

This game is very important to the Maroons, who are very eager to get back to winning-ways after losing their last two tries to Evansville and Indiana State, and they will be ready to throw everything in their bag at the Homecoming hopped-up Western eleven.

Early in the week there was almost nothing but bad news from the Maroon camp, but Wednesday good news finally came.

Further investigation into the neck injury of Robert "Bunker" Jones, powerful Maroon line-backer, revealed that no vertebra was chipped during the Indiana State game, as previously reported. Jones will start at end against Western.

However, Dick Seelman of Flora, sophomore fullback who was injured in the Evansville game, and did not see action against Indiana State, continues to be on the ailing list with an injured hip, and probably will not make the trip to Macomb.

Probable starting lineup:

LE Robert "Bunker" Jones of West Frankfort
LT Charles Mathieu of Eldorado
LG Jim Lovin of Benton
C J. Pieron of Murphysboro or Bill Cosgrove of Benton
RG Bob Etheridge of Fairfield
RT John Corn of Benton
RE Bob Colborn of Flora
QB Bill Malinsky of Flora
LHB Bob Johnson of DuQuoin
RHB George Sawyer of Wood River
FB Don Riggs of Fairfield

Radio station WCIL, Carbondale, will carry a play-by-play description of the game with Don Boudreau at the mike handling the play and Jim Bolen doing the color.

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Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

nformation Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

10-16-47

Carbondale, Ill., Oct. -Invitations went out this week to 8,500 alumni of Southern Illinois University to attend the 31st annual Homecoming, Oct. 23-25.

These alumni are scattered in every one of the 102 counties of Illinois, in 38 of the 48 states of the union, the District of Columbia, Alaska and Honolulu.

Those receiving the invitations are the former students for whom the Alumni Services office has reasonably accurate addresses.

Homecoming this year is combined with "University Recognition" ceremonies in honor of Southern's new name.

The three-day celebration includes:

Thursday, Oct. 23, 7:30 p.m.--"University Recognition" service, with Dr. John Dale Russell, director of the Division of Higher Education, U. S. Office of Education, as guest speaker; coronation of the 1947 Homecoming Queen; and a bonfire-pep rally.

Friday, Oct. 24--10 a.m., special assembly and pep session for all students; snake dance to downtown Carbondale; 2 p.m., free movie for all students; 2-4 p,m., open house at the President's Office for alumni and other visitors; 8 p.m., Homecoming Play, "The Poor Nut", presented by the Little Theatre.

Saturday, Oct. 25--9 a.m., Women's Athletic Association varsity-alumni hockey game; 10-12, open house at the President's Office;

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11 a.m., Alumni Association board meeting; 12:15 Homecoming Parade, with floats by student, faculty and civic organizations, and more than a dozen Southern Illinois high school bands; 2 p.m., Southern-Northern football game; between halves at the game, "University Recognition" ceremonies, with state officials, legislators and others who assisted Southern in obtaining passage of the change-of-name legislation as honor guests; after the game, an informal tea for all alumni; 9 p.m., the annual Homecoming Ball, with music by Ray Anthony's orchestra.

A luncheon honoring the visiting legislators and state officials will be held by University President Chester F. Lay on Saturday, preceding the game.

Homecoming queens of former years will be special guests at the coronation this year, and will be introduced at the ceremony on Thursday evening. Miss Aliene Kauzlarich of Christopher, 1946 queen, will be featured in the ceremony.

A grand march led by the Queen and her court will be staged at the Homecoming Ball on Saturday night.

Identity of the Queen will not be revealed until the moment of her coronation Thursday night. Nominees for this honor, named by popular student ballot, are: Peggy Coleman of Marion, Joan Fairbairn of Harvey, Veda Hallam of Fairfield, Nada Kauzlarich of Christopher, Velma McCormick of Johnston City, Georgia Mircheff of Madison, and Doris Morgan of Sparta.

Nominated for the two positions as Queen's attendants are: Maxine Bumpus of Bonnie, Delores Sharp of Benton, Mathilde Smith of Wilmette and Doris Wade of Vandalia.

Students will ballot on Tuesday, Oct. 21, to select the Queen from the seven nominees. The four top runners-up will comprise her court. In the same election the two attendants will be chosen.

Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

nformation Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

10-17-47

Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - A reunion of three former faculty members from the American University at Biarritz, France, will take place here when Dr. John Dale Russell, director of the Division of Higher Education, U. S. Office of Education, visits Southern Illinois University to speak at its "University Recognition" ceremony Thursday evening, Oct. 23.

Dr. Joseph K. Johnson, professor and chairman of the University's sociology department, and Dr. Floyd F. Cunningham, associate professor and chairman of the geography department, served with Dr. Russell on the faculty of the Biarritz university established by the U.S. government for the benefit of the armed forces.

Dr. Russell will speak here Thursday evening at 7:30 p.m. in Shryock Auditorium on the subject, "Higher Education to Meet Modern Needs."

The "University Recognition" ceremonies will be held in conjunction with the 31st annual Southern Homecoming, Oct. 23-25.

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Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - Mrs. Lucy Fligor, faculty assistant at Southern Illinois University and assistant critic at Buncombe Rural School, has been elected to the advisory committee of the National Rural Youth Conference.

Mrs. Fligor, accompanied by a group from Southern recently attended a meeting of the conference at East Bay Camp, Bloomington.

Others who participated included George Vest of Xenia, president of the Southern Rural Life Club; William Ridgeway, president of the Buncombe Rural Life Club; Phoebe Cox of Makanda, secretary of the Southern club; Pauline Presley of Makanda, and Jean Fligor, dean of boys in University High School.

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Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

nformation Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

10-17-47

Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - Approval has been given by the national headquarters of Alpha Kappa Delta, honorary fraternity for students of sociology, for the establishment of a chapter at Southern Illinois University, Dr. Joseph K. Johnson, chairman of the sociology department, has announced.

Notices of election to charter membership in the new chapter have gone out to eleven students and one former student, selected on the basis of superior scholarship and interest in sociology. Ceremonies of initiation and formal installation of the chapter are being planned for the last week of October.

Alpha Kappa Delta is "not just a mutual congratulation society which elects a few honor students each year, pins keys on them, and sends them on their way with a pat on the back," Dr. Louis Petroff, of the sociology department faculty, declared in commenting on establishment of the new fraternity.

"It is an organization with a purpose and a program," he explained, pointing out that all members initiated will be expected to participate in the regular meetings of the society, which will feature the presentation and discussion of scientific studies in the field of sociology or related sciences.

Students elected as charter members are: Mrs. Maxine Blackman of Ramsey, Robert Files Etheridge of Fairfield, Robert Marion Gingrich of Marion, Marilyn June Henderson of Marion, Vivian Lupardus of Granite City, Mrs. Wilma Nell Perry of Harrisburg, Willard Eugene Rodd of

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Marion, Virgil Lee Seymour of Ellis Grove, Randall Gene Thompson of Zeigler, Joyce Marguerite Wall of Mound City and Arthur Halfar of Carbondale. In addition, Margaret Elizabeth Powell of Flora, who attended Southern last year and is now a student at Washington University in St. Louis, was elected.

Alpha Kappa Delta was established in 1920, at the University of Southern California, and now has about 30 chapters, located in leading universities throughout the United States, Dr. Johnson said. Chapters already established in Illinois are located at the University of Illinois and at Loyola University, Chicago.

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Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

Information Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

10-20-47

Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - With Don Riggs of Fairfield scoring in the third quarter, the Southern Illinois University Maroons regained their winning ways by defeating the Leathernecks of Western Illinois State College at Macomb last Saturday in the Illinois Intercollegiate Athletic Conference opener.

After fighting on almost even terms with the home eleven for the first half, the Maroons concentrated heir power long enough in the third period to enable Riggs to plunge over from the one-yard line just before the quarter ended.

In the absense of a sustained scoring punch, the saving feature for the Maroons was the defensive work of the line. In the first half Western gained 69 yards by rushing, but in the last two quarters the Maroon line held their opponents to a net yardage of one yard.

Bob Colborn of Flora played his usual brilliant defensive game at end, and contributed the Maroon offense by snagging two passes from fellow townsman Bill Malinsky.

At the other end, Joe Hughes of West Frankfort turned in his best performance this season. The end play of Colborn and Hughes was so effective that Western failed to gain one yard around end during the entire afternoon.

The Maroon offense was concentrated in two men, Bill Malinsky who passed to Colborn and Hughes, and Don Riggs who ran powerfully all afternoon. Malinsky completed five out of eight passes for a total of 94 yards and Riggs, plunging the center of the line almost exclusively,

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lugged the ball 69 yards in 15 tries for an average of 4.6 yards per try.

In the middle of the third quarter the Maroons began a sustained march from the Western 45. With Riggs crashing the center for most of the yardage, plus an 12 yard pass from Malinsky to Colborn, the Maroons earned a first down on the Western eight. However, four cracks at the line found George Sawyer of Wood River two inches short of a touchdown on fourth down.

Bob Johnson of DuQuoin ran the Western punt back to Western 38. Malinsky passed to Joe Hughes who made a one hand catch to give the Maroons a first down on the Western 21. Charlie Heinz ran to the 15 and Don Riggs made it a first down on the eight.

Riggs plunged to the four, Sawyer to the three, and Riggs again to the one. On fourth down Riggs smacked over left guard for the touchdown.

Robert "Bunker" Jones of West Frankfort kicked the extra point.

Jack Stephens of West Frankfort, who reported for practice on Monday, ran well during the time he was in the game. Stephens also did the punting chores for Southern in brilliant fashion, averaging a net 42.5 yards per try.

This coming Saturday the Maroons, now definately on the comback trail, face the Huskies of Northern Illinois State Teachers College at McAndrew Stadium in Carbondale in the Southern Illinois University Homecoming football game.

Last Saturday Northern tied Illinois State Normal University 7 to 7, in an I. I. A. C. tilt. Early dope said that Normal was the team to beat for the conference championship, which indicates that Northern, traditionally a strong foe, will provide plenty of opposition for the Homecoming game.

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Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - Two "University Recognition" ceremonies are on the calendar for the 31st annual Homecoming at Southern Illinois University Oct. 23-25, according to Dr. Orville Alexander, faculty chairman of Homecoming.

These ceremonies are planned as an official recognition of Southern's new status as a university. The first will be academic in nature, presenting Dr. John Dale Russell, director of the Division of Higher Education, U. S. Office of Education, as speaker, on Thursday evening, at 7:30 p. m. in Shryock Auditorium.

In conjunction with Dr. Russell's address on "Higher Education for Modern Needs," the Homecoming activities will be opened with the coronation of the Homecoming Queen.

The second "University Recognition" ceremony will take place on Saturday, between halves at the Southern-Northern football game, when University President Chester F. Lay will publicly express to state officials, members of the Illinois General Assembly and other supporters of Southern the institution's appreciation for support in the long campaign to obtain legislation legally changing the school's name.

Governor Dwight H. Green is unable to be present but has designated Frank G. Thompson, director of the State Department of Registration and Education and chairman of the State Teachers College Board, as his official representative, Alexander said.

All members of the Illinois legislature havebeen invited to be present for the "University Recognition" ceremonies and to share in

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all the Homecoming festivities, he explained. Acceptances have come from a substantial number and are expected to continue to arrive during the next few days.

President Lay will be host to the legislators and others who aided Southern in its change-of-name program, entertaining them at luncheon at the University cafeteria before the game.

The "University Recognition" ceremony and coronation on Thursday evening will be open to alumni, students, faculty, and the public, Alexander said, but he cautioned those who plan to attend to come early in order to obtain seats, since the capacity of the auditorium is limited.

"No one will be admitted after the ceremonies start," he stressed. "This means that all who plan to attend must be in their seats by 7:30 o'clock sharp."

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Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - The Southern Illinois University harriers easily defeated the Western Illinois State College cross-country team in a run held at the half time of the Southern-Western football game at Macomb last Saturday.

Joe McLafferty of Carbondale finished first with a time of 19:24.4, being chased to the finish line by Captain Bill Keene of Carrier Mills whose time was 19:30.6.

Southern took the first four places, Western the next two, and then Southern seventh and eight. Four Western men did not cross the finish line, enabling the Maroon harriers to outscore their opponents 17 to 41. (Low score wins.)

Order of finish: first, McLafferty(S); second, Keene(S); third, Buddy Miller of Carbondale(S); fourth, Leonard Burden of Herrin(S); fifth, Harmon(E); sixth, Derkson(E); seventh, Bob Lunneman of Pinckneyville(S); and eight, Ray Palmer of East St. Louis(S).

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Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - John Kirkpatrick, noted pianist, will be presented in a recital at Southern Illinois University Nov. 5, Dr. Maurits Kesnar, chairman of the University music department.

Since 1939 Mr. Kirkpatrick has been heard in many colleges, under the auspices of the American of American Colleges, and annually in New York, in addition to solo appearances throughout the country. He has given many lecture-recital series, and has appeared often in festivals of American music. At present he is associate professor of music at Cornell University.

In addition to his concert here, he will conduct a discussion of "Modern American Piano Music" on Nov. 6, at 2 p. m., to which Dr. Kesnar is inviting all piano teachers of Southern Illinois who may be interested. Those who desire to attend are urged to notify Dr. Kesnar, in order that necessary arrangements may be made for the meeting.

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Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - Dr. Marshall S. Hiskey, dean of men at Southern Illinois University, appeared on the program of the University of Chicago Conference on Teacher Education Oct. 20-21, speaking on the topic "Personnel Administration at Southern Illinois University."

Dr. Eugene R. Fair, dean of the College of Education at Southern also attended the meeting.

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Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - With the Northern Illinois State Teachers College Huskies scheduled to make an appearance at McAndrew Stadium for the Homecoming football game Saturday, Oct. 25, the Maroons of Southern Illinois University have been practicing stepping up their offensive power.

Head Coach Glenn "Abe" Martin indicated that he expected a number of touchdowns in the game by both teams.

Most dangerous offensive threat from the Huskies will be the spirals of outstanding passer Don Fortunato, All-Conference halfback last season.

Teaming with Fortunato in the Northern scoring punch is power-laden Harry Hennigan, a great running fullback, whose dashes through the line spelled defeat for the Maroons last year when Northern won 10 to 0.

In the game last year, Hennigan was the only man to score, gaining 10 points on a touchdown, extra point and a 17 yard field goal.

For the Maroons, things are looking up. They have much more confidence in themselves this week than they did before defeating Western at Macomb last Saturday 7 to 0.

Dick Seelman of Flora has recovered from his injured hip which had sidelined him during the last two games, and should be ready for plenty of action for his hard running and long passing abilities.

During the early week much of the Maroon practice time was spent on running out kinks and working on pass-defense.

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10-21-47

Carbondale, Ill., Oct. -Eight Homecoming queens of former years will be back as honor guests to join in the ceremonies crowning Southern Illinois University's 1947 queen, Bill Burns of Chicago, student chairman of the queen's committee, has announced.

These former queens will march in the procession at the coronation Thursday evening: Dorothy Benner, now Mrs. Marvin Muckelroy of Carbondale, 1928 queen; Maxine Winchester, now Mrs. Herbert McKinney of Carbondale, 1931 queen; Miss Mildred Whiteside of Carbondale, 1929 queen; Jane Federer, now Mrs. Michael Purtill of DuQuoin, 1935 queen; Miss Dorothy Mitchell of Carrier Mills, 1939 queen; June Otrich, now Mrs. Hewey Tweedy of Zeigler, 1944 queen; Gloria Barger, now Mrs. S. H. Frazier of Harrisburg, 1945 queen; and Miss Aileen Kauzlarich of Christopher, 1946 queen.

Miss Kauzlarich, last year's queen will play a prominent role in coronation ceremony.

The coronation will take place in Shryock Auditorium in conjunction with "University Recognition" ceremonies, at which Dr. John Dale Russell, director of the Division of Higher Education, U. S. Office of Education, will be the guest speaker. The program will start at 7:30 p.m.

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10-22-47

Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - According to comparative scores, the Huskies of Northern Illinois State Teachers College are four touch downs better than the Southern Illinois University Maroons, which would indicate a sad Homecoming for Southern's football fans.

However, it is well known that comparative score ratings of teams are highly inaccurate means of determining the probable victor.

The Maroons lost to Indiana State by two touchdowns, 21 to 6. Indiana State was defeated by Illinois Normal by two touchdowns, 20 to 7, and Northern tied Normal 7 to 7.

The Southern team which defeated Western 7 to 0 last week could hardly be recognized as the same team which lost to Indiana State. In seven short days, the Maroons had made a great comeback.

Another factor which often tends to make a lie of comparative scores is team spirit--the will to win. Although Northern undoubtedly wants to win badly, the Maroons have more concrete reasons for fighting for victory.

Most potent of all factors driving the Maroon squad's spirit is memory. For three consecutive years Northern has defeated Southern in the closing game of the season, each time costing the Maroons a conference championship. Those defeats have not been forgotten by the Southerners.

Also, the Southern team is eager for a conference championship, and they think that this is the year!

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Psychologically, the team is in perfect condition. Fresh under their belts they have the memory of a win last week, but in the event of excess cockiness, mere whistling of "On the Banks of the Wabash" is enough to kindle flaming eyes.

Physically, the Maroon team is in slightly better condition than it was last week at Macomb. No serious injuries have been contracted in the last week, and with the exception of Bill Wilkinson, of West Frankfort who was injured two weeks ago, the charges of Head Coach Glenn "Abe" Martin are universally in top shape.

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Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - Dozens of items from the Southern Illinois University Museum will be displayed at the Saline County Centennial celebration in Harrisburg, Oct. 23-25.

The University itself will be represented in a special exhibit in conjunction with several other divisions of the State Department of Registration and Education, and in addition other objects from the Museum will be loaned to other exhibitors.

The University's exhibit will consist of a replica of a pioneer room, featuring a simulated stone fireplace with old handmade andirons, shovel, crame, pots and kettles, candle molds and candle holders; a spinning wheel and reel; and a mannequin costumed in a satin dress more than 100 years old.

The fireplace was made for the exhibit by Russell Peithman, student in the Museum. The dress was presented to the Museum by Mrs. Nebughr of Union County, mother of Jackson County school Supt. Lee Nebughr, and belonged to her mother. The spinning wheel was given to the University by the Wiley family of Makanda, while the reel came from the S.B. Hood collection in Randolph County. The other smaller objects were all collected for the Museum from Southern Illinois.

A diorama showing the construction of a log house will also be displayed. In addition, several cases of school loan materials will be shown, including house, transportation, biological, and geological models.

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The Museum was also asked to supply materials for the Illinois State Historical Association exhibit at the Centennial, and is furnishing four dioramas--sorghum making, hop killing, a blacksmith shop, and soap making.

An 1831 McCormich reaper--an original model, designed by Mr. McCormick before he took out his first reaper patent in 1834--from the Museum will be entered in the Centennial parade. This reaper, make almost entirely of wood, was obtained for the Museum from the International Harvester Company.

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Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - A "Queen's Orchestra," composed of student musicians, will play for the coronation of Southern Illinois University's 1947 Homecoming Queen here Thursday night.

This orchestra, directed by student Bill Ledbetter of Murphysboro, will include the following members: Gene Moore of West Frankfort; Tony Masarra, George Johnson, Ray Barth and Larry Ward of Marion; John Mulkin of Herrin; Bill Carr, John Ledbetter and Bob Norman of Murphysboro; Joe Sims of Sparta; Boyd Higgerson of Valier; Jimmy Hudson and Q. D. Miskell of Carbondale; and Mel Siener of Collinsville. In addition, Harold C. Hines, director of the University Band, will play trumpet with the orchestra.

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Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - Tonight will see the opening of Southern Illinois University's dual Homecoming and "University Recognition" celebration, to run through Saturday.

Twice during the three-day celebration, ceremonies will be held to commemorate Southern's official change of name and its new university status.

Tonight Dr. John Dale Russell, director of the U. S. Office of Education's division of higher education, will keynote the "University Recognition" phase of the program, by speaking on "Higher Education for Modern Needs."

He will be presented by University President Chester F. Lay.

On the same program, the coronation of Southern's 1947 Homecoming Queen will take place. Her identity will not be known until the moment she ascends the throne.

The five nominees for Queen honors are: Peggy Coleman of Marion, Joan Fairbairn of Harvey, Veda Hallam of Fairfield, Nada Kauzlarich of Christopher, and Velma McCormick of Johnston City.

The Queen's attendants will be Delores Sharp of Benton and Doris Wade of Vandalia.

A number of queens from former years will also participate in the ceremony. The Queen will be crowned by Football Captain Charles Mathieu of Eldorado. Bill Price of Texico, student chairman of Homecoming, will be master of ceremonies.

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On Friday a special assembly and pep session, a free movie, and a Little Theatre play in the evening comprise the Homecoming events.

Saturday will bring the Homecoming parade, which will feature some three dozen floats, including seven staged by downtown civic organizations, and approximately a half dozen marching bands.

At the Southern-Northern football game Saturday afternoon, a second "University Recognition" ceremony will be held, when University President Lay will publicly thank legislators, state officials, organizations and individuals for their support in the long campaign to secure change-of-name legislation for Southern.

Frank G. Thompson, director of the State Department of Registration and Education and chairman of the State Teachers College Board, will officially represent Governor Dwight H. Green, who is unable to be present.

The following members of the General Assembly have accepted invitations to be present, and to attend the luncheon given in their honor Saturday at noon by President Lay: Senators Homer Butler of Marion, R. G. Crisenberry of Murphysboro, W. J. Cash of Towanda, Ora Oldfield of Centralia, and Reps. Paul Powell of Vienna, W. J. McDonald of Murphysboro, Harry McClintock of West Frankfort, V. J. Diamond of LaSalle, Clyde Choate of Jonesboro, Henry Knauf of Ladd, and R. J. Branson of Centralia.

An informal alumni tea after the ball game, an informal alumni party in the evening, and the Homecoming Ball Saturday night will complete the three-day celebration.

The Queen will reign over all the festivities, making her appearance at the movie, the play, in the parade, at the ball game, at the tea, and at the dance.

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10-23-47

Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - One chapter in a long and colorful educational history is being closed at Southern Illinois University this week, and another is being opened.

There have been many such chapters in the 72 years since Southern Illinois Normal University opened its doors for the first time.

The prologue, of course, told of the tireless efforts of school teachers, principals and superintendents, of many parents of young boys and girls, and of public-spirited citizens at large, to establish a school in Southern Illinois to educate the young people of this area.

The Civil War--the War between the States--was over. Southern Illinois needed schools and school teachers to help educate the children of this area as the country set its face toward reconstruction.

It was a long and expensive journey to colleges and universities in the northern part of the state, and a normal school located in Southern Illinois would prove a great boon.

Even then, Southern Illinoisans looked forward to the time when the region's yet-unborn college would become a great educational institution. So instead of asking the General Assembly to establish a teachers college, they sought a "normal university," in the canny hope that one day the word "normal" could be dropped and a "university" be born.

In 1869, the legislature authorized the establishment of "Southern Illinois Normal University," and the following year made appropriations for a building to house the new institution. (more)

By 1874 the three-story structure that was to house the new school was completed, and on July 1, the building was dedicated and Dr. Robert Allyn was inaugurated as first president.

The first classes were held in the summer of 1874, with 53 students enrolled. By the opening of the fall term, 150 students had come to study at Southern.

One chapter in the history of Southern unquestionably tells of the dramatic burning of "Old Main" and the construction of the present Main Building, completed in 1887.

As a "normal university," Southern at first offered two years of college training above the high school, and conferred diplomas upon its "graduates." By the early 1920's, its curriculum had grown to such an extent that students could complete a four-year college course and obtain a degree.

In 1928, "Southern Illinois Normal University" was accredited by the American Association of Teachers Colleges, and three years later was placed on the accredited list as a degree-granting college by the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools.

All through the years, under Presidents Allyn, John Hull, Harvey W. Everest, Daniel B. Parkinson, and Henry W. Shryock, Southern had been growing and assuming greater leadership as a teacher-education institution. Additional buildings were constructed, and enrollment was growing.

Southern alumni were "making good" as they left the campus, entered educational service, graduate schools, and business. They were able to obtain full credit for the work they had done at Southern when they enrolled for advanced work at the country's best graduate schools. Many of them attained considerable distinction in their special fields. Thousands of them filled positions of competence and trust in the

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public schools of Southern Illinois.

Under the administration of President Roscoe Pulliam, 1935-44, important advances were made in the educational program. The Stadium was constructed partly with alumni contributions, partly with Federal funds. The campaign to drop the work "normal" from the school's name gathered momentum, though it was defeated in the 63rd general assembly. Legislation was secured clarifying the purpose of Southern, and authorized the institution to expand its functions in the fields of liberal arts and sciences and in vocational training, and to offer degrees in these fields as well as in teacher-education. Graduate work was also authorized by the Board, and in the summer of 1944 the first graduate courses were inaugurated. During the war years, Southern carried on a heavy load of war training and war service on the campus, and sent more than 2,500 of its students and former students to the armed forces.

After President Pulliam's death in the spring of 1944, Dr. Chester F. Lay was elected to the presidency of Southern, assuming his duties January 1, 1945.

Under his leadership many of the changes and advances planned for many years have been brought into fruition. Additional financial support has been obtained from the General Assembly, construction has started on the long-sought physical plant expansion, new colleges have been organized, other university-scale administrative operations have been set up, and the work "normal" has been dropped from the school's name.

Actually, Southern has been functioning as a university for several years. Establishment in the fall of 1945 of separate colleges (Education, Liberal Arts and Sciences, and Vocations and Professions) and of the Graduate School made it a university in form. In 1946, the

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North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools gave official educational recognition to the new developments at Southern, by "promoting" it from the college class to the university class composed of institutions offering several degrees, in its list of accredited educational institutions.

It remained for the 1947 General Assembly to acknowledge Southern's development by enacting legislation officially re-naming the institution "Southern Illinois University."

This week, Southern is commemorating its new university status by holding, in conjunction with its annual alumni Homecoming, two "University Recognition" ceremonies--the first to highlight the educational obligations of a university, the second to pay public tribute to legislators, state officials, organizations and individuals who helped all through the years to bring about the change of name.

After an enviable reputation for three-quarters of a century as a teachers college, Southern now starts as a newcomer in the university class.

It has a good start, and this week its administration, faculty, alumni and students are pledging themselves to build its standing as a university until it occupies an equally sound position in its new field.

Its assets, as it embarks on its new career, are many: an enrollment of 2,850 students, an expanding faculty of 203, a $4½ million dollar biennial operating budget, hundreds of acres of land acquired for an enlarged campus, a building program under way, the basic university-scale administrative framework constructed, a small but sound Graduate School established, the beginnings of research work started, and strong public interest and support flourishing.

This week, then a new chapter which might be entitled "Southern--A University" is being opened as the attention of all of Southern Illinois is focussed on the "University Recognition" ceremonies.

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10-23-47

Carbondale, Ill., Oct. 23 - Higher education should be maintained for the benefit of society as a whole, and should be an integral part of the whole social order, a noted educator declared here tonight in "University Recognition" ceremonies at Southern Illinois University.

Dr. John Dale Russell, director of the Division of Higher Education, U.S. Office of Education, was the guest speaker at the first of two "University Recognition" programs being held in connection with Southern's annual alumni Homecoming which opened tonight.

He was introduced by University President Chester F. Lay, who briefly recounted the highlights in the institution's 73-year history, and cited the stages in the institution's growth toward university status.

Formerly known as "Southern Illinois Normal University", the school officially became "Southern Illinois University" when the 1947 General Assembly enacted special legislation re-naming the school.

Dr. Russell, who in 1946 assisted in securing "promotion" of Southern from the college class to the university class on the accredited list of the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools, spoke on the subject "Higher Education for Modern Needs."

He described the various points of view on higher education, but expressed a preference for "the attitude that higher education is maintained for the benefit of society as a whole--not for any limited social group, not for the benefit of the individual student except as

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he is a member of society and is willing and able to contribute to its welfare, not for the sake of pure learning except as our cultural heritage serves a social purpose in the modern world, not for the benefit of people with scholarly inclinations who hold faculty appointments, nor for the mere continuation of certain ivy-clad institutions--but rather for the general welfare of the whole society in which we live."

The Ordinance for the Government of the Northwest Territory, passed by Congress in 1787, he said, carries a clear statement of this point of view: Religion, morality, and knowledge, being necessary to good government and the happiness of mankind, schools and the means of education shall be forever encouraged."

On this principle, he declared, the public school system was established in this country and the support of higher education from tax sources rests upon it.

"If it be granted that institutions of higher education exist for social purposes, it becomes important to examine critically what the social order demands in our times, "Dr. Russell asserted.

He summarized these demands for services as follows: preparation of men needed for the professions; the discovery, conservation and promulgation of the truth in an unbiased manner; the preparation for all round living.

"The range of professions and occupations for which higher education is expected to prepare practitioners has increased greatly during the past few decades, and promises to increase even more rapidly in the future," he said.

Elaborating on the demand for the "discovery, conservation and promulgation of the truth," he pointed out that "th social order of today seems to realize the necessity of this provision more fully than ever before.

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"The so-called 'academic freedom' of institutions and faculty members is probably more assured today in this country than in any previous period of the world's history.

"It must be remembered, however, that academic freedom is protected not for the sake of the institutions, nor for faculty members, nor even for the truthitself, but only because modern society realizes that it must have centers in which the truth can be investigated and taught fearlessly and without distortion.

"When a society decides that it wants only a narrow or distorted version of the truth, as has happened without our memories in some countries of the world, its institutions of higher education takes on a very different character.

"We are fortunate to live in a time and in a country in which the right to investigate and teach the truth is well protected by the general attitude of the people."

Dr. Russell stressed the broadening scope of education as increased numbers of students enroll and "bring with them wider ranges of talents and abilities."

"Just now colleges and universities are struggling to cope with heavy enrollments, brought about in considerable part by the provisions for veterans' education," he said.

"The question is everywhere raised as to whether or not this is a temporary bulge or wave, that will recede within a few years after the veterans have completed the education to which they are entitled.

"As a matter of fact, if there had been no war and no 'GI Bill of Rights' and if enrollment trends manifest between 1934 and 1940 had continued without change, we would have had almost as many students in college in 1946-47 as were actually enrolled.

"There is every indication that the present increase is part of a fundamental movement, and that as long as our social order retains its

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present characteristics, college enrollments will continue to increase toward a somewhat indefinite point of saturation."

The range of services rendered in higher education will continue to increase, and new areas of study will continue to be opened, he believed.

The readjustments necessary to meet these demands on higher education "are certain to prove disturbing," but Dr. Russell said these changes are gradually coming about, even though "the machinery of the system creaks a little at the joints."

"I personally have great faith that the adjustments in higher education demanded by the modern social order are even now well under way," he said. "I have no doubt that society will continue to foster and support progressive programs in its colleges and universities, and that it will continue to look to them for important contributions to the general welfare."

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10-27-47

Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - Coming to Southern Illinois University for Religious Emphasis Week November 9-14 is Anna Mow (Mrs. Baxter M. Mow), a teacher in the religious education department of Bethany Biblical Institute, Chicago.

Mrs. Mow received her education in Manchester College, Indiana, and in Bethany Biblical Seminary, Chicago. She holds the M.R.E., B. D., and M. Th. degrees.

In the fall of 1923 the Mows went to India where they did special work with Mohammedans, a good bit of Young People's work, and attended each year the Ashram at Sat Tal, conducted by E. Stanley Jones.

Mrs. Mow has participated in the National Christian Missions in the cities of India, in the Japanese relocation centers, and has been hostess for various American Christian Ashrams, sponsored by the Department of Evangelism of the Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America. She is the mother of three children.

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Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - Mrs. Evelyn Rieke, assistant professor and dean of girls in University High School at Southern Illinois University, has completed her master of education degree at the University of Illinois.

This degree, a special advanced degree in education, represents a year's study beyond the usual master's degree, and requires the same preliminary examinations as for the doctor's degree. Mrs. Rieke already holds the master of arts degree from the University of Illinois. She obtained a year's leave of absence in 1944-45 to take the work leading to the advanced degree.

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Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - Preliminary reports have been submitted to date by 21 county school survey committees in Illinois, according to a statement issued here today by Dr. Howard E. Bosley, chairman of a Southern Illinois University committee of consultants on school reorganization.

"If accepted by the people, the recommendations of these committees will result in the merging of 2,217 districts which existed last year into a total of only 300 districts in the 21 counties," Dr. Bosley said. "Most of these newly reorganized districts will be large enough to operate good schools."

County boards which have recommended a single school district for the entire county are those of Scott, Brown, Pulaski, Lawrence, Morgan, and Edwards.

Counties in which the people have already voted to accept the recommendations of their survey committees are Vermilion, Richland, Scott, Brown, and Jasper, and these five counties are now operating reorganized schools on a county wide basis.

School survey committees of 72 additional counties will be submitted not later than December of this year, Dr. Bosley said.

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Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - Robert A. Steffes, acting chairman of the new journalism department at Southern Illinois University, is the author of an article appearing in the current issue of The Business Education World.

The article is entitled "Typewriter Ribbons Need Attention!" and advises how to select ribbons, how to and when to change them in order to obtain clear, clean typewrittenwork.

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10-27-47

Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - Twenty-four Southern Illinois high school choruses--with 881 members--have signed up to participate in the annual Choral Clinic at Southern Illinois University here next Saturday, Nov. 1, according to Floyd V. Wakeland, clinic director.

The annual clinic is sponsored by the University's music department This year guest conductor for the clinic will be Maynard Klein, choral director from Tulane University, who is also director of the famous Interlochen Chorus.

So large a group has enrolled for the clinic this year that it can no longer be accommodated on the stage of Shryock Auditorium, Mr. Wakeland said, and instead the clinic will be held in the Men's Gymnasium.

The public concert in the evening at 8 p. m. will also be held in the gymnasium.

Following is a list of the high school choruses, with their directors, which will participate in the clinic: Ashley, Paul Daniels, Director; Anna-Jonesboro, Keith Whetstone; Benton, Edwin Cockrum; etc...

S. I. U. Choral Clinic November 1, 1947

High School	Director
Carbondale Community	Wayne Reynolds
Carbondale, University High	Charles Paterson
Carrier Mills	Mary Jarvis
Chester	Ophilia Hack

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High School	Director
Carlyle	Harold Dodd
Christopher	Herschel Ridgway
DuQuoin	Flora Carr
Enfield	Miss Carol Land
Harrisburg	John Schork
Herrin	Glenn Gablonski
Johnston City	Herbert Johnson
McLeansboro	Mr. Myrl Newcom
Mt. Vernon	W. H. Beckmeyer
Murphysboro	Edward Harn
New Athens	Mrs. Edith Echert
Salem	Charlotte Holt
West Frankfort	Belle Longmons
Sesser	Obed Henderson
Thebes	Mrs. Edna Walker
Thompsonville	Mrs. Betty Frailey
and the Southern	F. V. Wakeland

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ATTENTION--SPORTS EDITORS 10-27-47

Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - Fresh from a 20 to 0 victory over their arch rivals, the Northern Illinois State Teachers College Huskies, the Southern Illinois University Maroons are drilling this week in preparation for a road game against Arkansas State this coming Saturday at Jonesboro, Arkansas.

On a sloppy field, and with driving rain falling most of the time, the Maroons hit their offensive potential for the first time this season in overpowering the Huskies. Southern was so effective on the ground, in spite of the slippery turf, that it was not necessary to throw passes, only four being attemped.

The first touchdown came when Southern tackle John Corn of Benton blocked a Huskie punt from the Northern fifteen yard line early in the second quarter, and the ball was recovered on the eight by Southern.

On the next play Bob Colborn, brilliant end from Flora, scored on an end-around. Bunker Jones of West Frankfort was unsuccessful on his attempted conversion.

Late in the third quarter the Maroons scored again. Jack Stephens of West Frankfort set up the score with a magnificient 53 yard kick which rolled out of bounds of the Northern 3 yard line.

Freoligh, Northern halfback, fumbled a bad pass from center, and the ball rolled out of the end zone for an automatic safety, giving the Maroons two points and an 8 to 0 lead.

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Following the safety, the Maroons scored immediately on a sustained march. Bob Johnson of DuQuoin returned Northern's kickoff to the Northern 43 yard line. After Charlie Heinz of Gillespie picked up three into the line, quarterback Bill Malinsky passed to Galen Davis of DuQuoin to the 18 yard line on a pass ruled complete because of interference.

Johnson went to the 10, Dick Seelman drove to the four, Don Riggs of Fairfield plowed to the one, and Bill Malinsky leaped over for the touchdown. Jones' kick was blocked.

The final touchdown came only minutes later when Bunker Jones intercepted a pass by Northern's Don Fortunato on the Northern 40 yard line and raced all the way to a touchdown behind good blocking. Again the kick was a failure, and the score stood 20 to 0.

Outstanding individual performances by Southern men were commonplace. The line completely bottled up the Northern ground offense, throwing the visitors for a net loss of 44 yards for the entire game.

Time after time men such as Bob Colborn, Joe Hughes of West Frankfort, Bob Etheridge of Fairfield, Captain Charles Mathieu of Eldorado, and John Corn of Benton broke through and threw Huskies back for 10 and 12 yard losses.

For the first time this year the backfield men to Head Coach Glenn "Abe" Martin operated effectively.

Four halfbacks, Dick Seelman of Flora, who w s making his first appearance in three weeks, Bob Johnson of DuQuoin, Roy Ragsdale of Carbondale, who raced 52 yards on one play, and George Sawyer of Wood River, ran very well.

Bill Malinsky at quarterback and Don Riggs at fullback turned in creditable work.

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Statistics:

	Southern	Northern
First Downs	9	6
Yards, Rushing	211	-44
Passes attempted	4	11
Passes completed	1	7
Passes intercepted	2	1
Yards passing	22	71
Penalties	75	20
Fumbles	1	2
Fumbles recovered	0	3

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Southern Illinois University
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RELEASE THURSDAY 10-28-47

Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - Williard E. Goslin, Superintendent of the Minneapolis Public Schools, will be the featured speaker on Friday at the meeting of the Southern Division of the I.E.A. at Southern Illinois University.

Mr. Goslin will address the group at eleven o'clock on the "Responsibilities of American Education," a subject with which he is thoroughly familiar.

Mr. Goslin received the bachelors degree from Northeast Missouri State Teachers College, the master of arts degree from the University of Missouri, and has done further graduate study at Teachers College at Columbia University.

He was formerly Superintendent of the Public Schools at Webster Groves, Missouri from 1930 to 1944. Since 1944 he has been in Minneapolis where he has been very successful in his efforts in bettering the conditions of teachers and in improving relations with school boards, civic, and business organizations.

He has been very active in various professional organizations especially the American Association of School Administrators, for whom he edited the 1945 yearbook.

A down-to-earth, human individual, Mr. Goslin is regarded as one of the outstanding superintendents in the country.

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Mr. L. Goebel Patton, Principal of the West Frankfort High School and program chairman of the meeting, announces that the program will open at nine Friday morning. It will include greetings by Dr. Chester F. Lay, President of S.I.U. and Albert Nicholas, President of the Southern Division of the I.E.A. and addresses by John C. Metcalfe, National Headliners Club plaque winner for outstanding achievement in journalism and Mr. Goslin.

A social hour will be held at ten o'clock with the past presidents of the Southern Division as guests of honor.

Further entertainment will be furnished in the afternoon by the Vocal Arts Quartette. Within this group is a renowned women's trio, the Vocaliers who will be featured together with Mr. Bernard Van Hefto and Mr. Steiner, both of whom are members of the Harmony Masters.

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10-30-47

Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - General Educational Development tests will be given at Southern Illinois University Nov. 7-8, Dr. Marshall S. Hiskey, dean of men, has announced.

Any person who has not completed high school but who wishes to take the tests for admission to college may do so, Dean Hiskey said. The tests are especially of value to veterans who were unable to finish high school before entering the armed forces.

Those who pass the tests obtain the equivalent of a high school diploma and are eligible to enroll in college.

The tests will be given starting at 8:30 a. m. Friday morning and will run Friday afternoon and Saturday morning. Interested persons should report to the Dean of Men's office at the University immediately, Dean Hiskey said.

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Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - Students at Southern Illinois University who have speech difficulties may now receive individual attention in the speech department clinic, Dr. P. M. Larson, department chairman, has announced.

C. W. Garbutt, speech correctionist, joined the speech department faculty this fall, and is now prepared to give clinical attention to individual students.

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10-30-47

Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - Latest enrollment figures for the Choral Clinic to be held at Southern Illinois University Saturday, Nov. 1, have risen to 931, Floyd V. Wakeland, clinic chairman, reports.

Three additional high school choruses--Carrier Mills, directed by Mary Jarvis, Centralia, directed by Madeline Goetz, and Chester, directed by Ophelia Hack--have accepted the invitation to participate in the clinic, which is sponsored by the University music department.

A total of 26 high school choruses and the University chorus will join in the clinic, for which Maynard Klein of Tulane University and the famous Interlochen Chorus will serve as guest director and critic.

During the day the young singers will rehearse under Mr. Klein's direction. In the evening a public concert will be given in the men's gymnasium at 7:30 p. m.

Soloists for the concert will be Cecil Bolton of the University music department faculty and Carol Werner of Belleville, contralto, a Southern music student. Accompanists will be Patricia Whiteside of West Frankfort and Kent Werner of Belleville, both Southern music students.

The annual Choral Clinic is one of the major events on the music department calendar each year, according to Dr. Maurits Kesnar, department chairman.

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For Friday Release: 10-30-47

Carbondale, Ill., Oct. 31- The Southern Illinois University Maroons leave by bus tomorrow morning at 8:00 a. m. for Jonesboro, Ark., where they will face the Arkansas State Teachers College Indians in a game Saturday at 8:15 p. m.

The Arkansas State Indians are potential by a fine team, very powerful, but one that has not yet lived up to advance predictions. The Indian's season record is only fair, but with a line averaging 220 pounds, they will provide worthy opponents for Coach Glenn "Abe" Martin's Maroons.

In preparation for the game, the Martin men have been drilling only lightly this week, spending most of their time in signal drills and regaining the strength they lost in their hard fought 20 to 0 victory over Northern Illinois State Teachers College here last Saturday.

Robert "Bunker" Jones of West Frankfort, 225 pound end, who has been used primarily for defensive play in backing the Maroon line thus far this season, has been drilling at the right halfback slot.

Jones is very fast for his weight. Just how fast is well know to Maroon followers who have watched him score two long touchdowns this season, one on a 63-yard end-around play, and the other on a 40-yard pass interception.

With his speed, power, and pass receiving abilities, Jones may provide quite a surprise for the unwary Arkansas team.

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Dick Seelman of Flora, who last week looked good in his first appearance in a month, is in top physical condition again, and should run like he did last year when he was one of the best freshman runners in the Illinois Intercollegiate Athletic Conference.

Although the Martin men go into the game in top physical condition, their mental condition is not too favorable. The players would much rather think about the coming conference game with Illinois Normal University at Normal next week, and the game the following week against Eastern Illinois State College.

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For Friday or Saturday Release: 10-30-47

Carbondale, Ill., Oct. - The Southern Illinois University harriers will play host to the cross-country men of Western Illinois State College here at McAndrew Stadium on Monday, November 3, at 3:00 p. m.

In a previous dual meet at Macomb the Maroons ran the Western harriers into the dust by winning 17 to 41, which is only two points away from the perfect cross-country score, 15 to 43.

Maroon freshman Joe McLafferty of Carbondale will attempt to win his fourth consecutive cross-country run and thereby maintain his undefeated record.

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Southern Illinois University
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FILLERS

Did you know that Illinois Had 8,361 one room schools last year, and that no other state had so many? That only 33 one-room schools are left in Delaware, and 40 in Utah? That twelve states have fewer than 300 one-room schools in each? That Illinois has more one room schools than 20 other states combined? It is time to reorganize Illinois Schools.--School Reorganization Committee, Southern Illinois University.

FILLERS

Did you know that Illinois is a state of very small school districts and that small districts cannot do as much for children as larger districts can? Experts contend that for best efficiency and economy no elementary school should enroll less than 175 to 200 children. Seventy-nine per cent of Illinois urban and village schools are smaller than 200 pupils.--School Reorganization Committee, Southern Illinois University.

FILLERS

In contrast to Illinois, which has 8,361 one-teacher schools, Florida and Alabama have no districts of fewer than 10 teachers, Utah has only one district which employs fewer than 10 teachers, Virginia has only one district which employs fewer than 20 teachers. In Louisiana, North Carolina, Maryland and Delaware the smallest districts employ 20,40,50 and 200 teachers respectively.--School Reorganization Committee. Southern Illinois University.

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Did you know that experts recommend a minimun of 300 pupils for effective high school operation? Ten per cent of Illinois high schools enroll fewer than 30 pupils; 19 per cent enroll fewer than 50 pupils; 45 per cent enroll fewer than 100 pupils. Only 17 per cent of Illinois high schools enroll 300 or more pupils. School Reorganization Committee. Southern Illinois University.

FILLERS

Did you know that in 1943-44 Illinois had 11,998 school districts? This is more than all the school districts in 27 states combined. Twenty-four states which have made greatest progress in school district reorganization average 299 school districts per state. In about one-fourth of the states, most counties have only a single school district. School Reorganization Committee. Southern Illinois University.

FILLERS

Illinois County School Survey Committees are suggesting larger school districts for elementary and high schools. Reports which are in from 26 counties suggest a reduction from 2,811 districts at present to a total of 324 districts under proposed reorganization. -- School Reorganization Committee. Southern Illinois University.

FILLERS

Some of our neighbor states have far fewer school districts than Illinois. Indiana has only 979 school districts and Kentucky has only 257. Illinois had 11,998 districts last year, which is more districts than exist in any state in the nation.--School Reorganization Committee. Southern Illinois University.

FILLERS

Some of our neighbor states are far ahead of Illinois in the work of reorganizing their schools. Indiana has only 636 one-room schools

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left in the entire state, and Ohio has only 640. Illinois has more than 12 times this number of one-room schools, or a total of 8,361. School Reorganization Committee. Southern Illinois University.

FILLERS

State laws now exist in California, Washington, Nevada, and Indiana which guarantee a salary of $2400 per year to every teacher who has four years of college training and who teaches a nine-months term. Minimun salaries of $2000 or more are prescribed by law in Delaware, Maryland, New York, Oregon, Pennsylvania, and Texas. The legal minimun salary for teachers in Illinois is $1200 per year. School Reorganization Committee. Southern Illinois University.

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10-31-47

Carbondale, Ill., Oct. 31 - "All this talk of fighting Russia now is dangerous--the trick is not to die but to live," John Metcalfe, lecturer-correspondent, told some 1,500 Southern Illinois school teachers and administrators here today.

Metcalfe, who has covered most of the international conferences of recent years, and who recently returned from Germany, gave two of the three addresses before the annual meeting of the Southern Illinois Division of the Illinois Education Association, convened here at Southern Illinois University.

"No one in his right mind would suggest that we ought to fight as long as there remains one possibility of getting along with Russia," he said.

"Even though there is no way in sight leading to cooperation for peace, we can't give up, for war is too disastrous. It would not be easy to win. I think we could win, but the cost would be tremendous."

Metcalfe admitted the situation at present is more critical than ever before, and predicted that the forthcoming London conference to consider a peace treaty with Germany offers little promise of success.

"If we could settle the German question with Russia it would be easy to settle other international problems with Russia," he declared, "for Germany is still the heart of economic Europe. If Germany goes Communist, the Communists would seize Europe.

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"Russia knows it only too well, and is anxious to gain control of Germany, just as she is anxious to gain control of Italy and France.

If the London conference fails, there is precedent for taking the question of the German peace to the General Assembly of the United Nations, he said.

"Russia has no desire to have such issues as this and the Korean situation brought before the whole world," he asserted. "And I do not believe that Russia will withdraw from the United Nations, for this would result in an armament rush the like of which the world has never seen before."

Metcalfe strongly advocated Congressional support for the Marshall Plan, and declared there is a tremendous reservoir of good will for the United States among the people of Europe, which can be brought into active support for democracy if the people can be fed and their governments stabilized.

At the morning session of the teachers meeting, Metcalfe spoke on "Inside Washington," analyzing the differences between the foreign policy of the United States under each of the last four Secretaries of State--Cordell Hull, Edward Stettinius, Jr., James F. Byrnes, and Gen. George C. Marshall.

The IEA delegates were welcomed to the University campus by University President Chester F. Lay, who questioned whether educators, "like Nero, are not fiddling" in the face of imminent disaster.

"I wonder if anybody else other than teachers are able to prepare such large numbers of people if such disaster comes," he said. "We can't just act as if peace stared us in the face."

Albert Nicholas of Anna-Jonesboro, president of the Southern Division, presided at the day-long session, and urged the teachers to join with the National Education Association in order to enable that

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organization to present a united front in Washington on behalf of federal aid for the public schools.

The other keynote speaker for the educational session was Willard E. Goslin, superintendent of the public schools at Minneapolis, Minn., who spoke on "Responsibilities of American Education."

Mr. Goslin challenged the teachers to re-cast the American educational system to fit the individual pupil rather than trying to make the individual pupil fit the system.

He deplored the periodic attacks on the child's self-confidence by means of the report card, and urged that "every American child is good for something," and should not necessarily be cast in the same mould as his school mates.

Education offers the best opportunity to guide America into making the right choice in the crossroads which face her--the greatest crossroads of all history, he said.

"We may if we choose put our weight on the side of right living --a choice which can change the quality of living of all mankind," he declared.

Education's major responsibilities, he stressed, are (1) for the general welfare of the American people--"life just ought to be better in every American community because there is a school there"; (2) to contribute to the growth and development of every individual so each can carry his own part of the load; and (3) to conserve our natural resources which are the heritage of future generations as well as our own.

He insisted that education must make its contribution to the world of peace, and must contribute to the expansion and improvement of the democratic ideal.

For the individual student, he said, the school should provide for his physical welfare, should guard his emotional health and mental stability, should help him to develop into a dynamic individual with sound ideals and convictions.

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11-3-47

Carbondale, Ill., Nov. - Illinois is literally the "heart" of the country, a calculation of the national center of population made by an economics class at Southern Illinois University shows.

The 1946 population center of the country, based on Bureau of Census figures, lies in the southern part of Jasper county, Illinois, about half way between Olney in Richland County and Newton in Jasper County--a little east of the small towns of Liberty and Boos.

The calculation was made by a class in economic statistics, taught by Dr. Lewis A. Maverick, professor and department chairman.

Students making the study included William H. Bauer of Benton, Donald Dodson of Greenview, Howard F. Ludwig of West Frankfort, and Lloyd W. Sielbeck of Cobden.

The center of population in the last six years has jumped not only across county lines but also across a state line, for in 1940 this center was located between Vincennes and Terre Haute, Ind., Dr. Maverick points out.

The 1940 center was calculated by the Bureau of the Census, but no such calculations are contained in the Bureau's inter-census estimates of population shifts. The students had to estimate the centers of population of the various states, then calculate the national center, Dr. Maverick explained.

"They do not claim to be closer to the precise center than about 15 miles, one way or the other," he said.

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Longitude of the new center is approximately 88° 1' west of Greenwich, the latitude 38° 53' north of the equator, the survey shows. In 1940 the longitude was 87° 23' west, the latitude 38° 58 minutes north.

In 1790, the population center of the country was at Baltimore, but it has marched westward with each succeeding census. In latitude, it has clung very close to the 39th parallel, although the 1946 center is the farthest south it has ever been.

The shift in the population center, Dr. Maverick pointed out, is due to the combined forces of migration and the birth-rate. Estimates on which it is calculated represents population of all ages.

The population changes, by states, which have caused the extensive movement of the national center of population since the 1940 census, were tabulated by the University class.

Increases of more than 200,000 were shown for 13 states, as follows: California, 2,485 thousand; Michigan, 796 thousand; Ohio 544 thousand; Washington, 435 thousand; Texas, 419 thousand; Oregon, 361 thousand; Florida, 358 thousand; Indiana, 318 thousand, Maryland, 296 thousand; Massachusetts, 254 thousand; Connecticut, 251 thousand; Virginia, 236 thousand; New York, 231 thousand.

Illinois, although the new center of population is located within its borders, ranked 21st among the states in population gain, with a increase of 59,000 over the 1946 figure.

Decreases of 50,000 or more in population were shown for the following states: Kentucky, 143 thousand; Oklahoma, 121 thousand; North Dakota, 105 thousand; Mississippi, 103 thousand; West Virginia, 96 thousand; South Dakota, 95 thousand; Montana, 82 thousand; Arkansas, 71 thousand; and Idaho, 55 thousand.

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11-3-47

Carbondale, Ill., Nov. - Rev. W. Clark Ellzey, teacher of "Education for Marriage" in the Division of Home and Family at Stephens College, will serve as a consultant for the Religious Emphasis Week activities at Southern Illinois University, Nov. 9-14.

Rev. Ellzey is a graduate of Duke University and has attended Occidental College, University of Missouri, Southern Methodist University, Southest Missouri State Teachers College, and the University of North Carolina. A sociology major, he has also studied law, medicine, and psychiatry.

As an educator, he has assisted in offering the first course in education for marriage at Duke University, served as director of the Western Branch of Marriage and Family Council at Colorado Springs, and been an ordained minister in the Methodist Church for 15 years. He is a member of the National Conference on Family Relations, the Chapel Hill Conference for the Conservation of Marriage and Family, and the American Social Hygiene Association.

He was field director for the American Red Cross, in service for two years during the war, and is now teaching at Stephens College. Rev. Ellzey is married and has three children.

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11-3-47

Attention: Sports Editors

Carbondale, Ill., Nov. -The harriers of Southern Illinois University defeated the Western Illinois State College cross-country team here this afternoon 15 to 44.

It was the second time this season that Coach Leland P. "Doc" Lingle's runners have defeated the Western Leathernecks, and it was also the second straight first place won by freshman Joe McLafferty of Carbondale against Western.

McLafferty's first place extended to five his streak of first places.

Order of finish:

First, McLafferty (S); second, Bill Keene of Carrier Mills (S); third, Buddy Miller of Carbondale (S); fourth, Leonard Burden of Herrin (S); fifth, Bob Lunneman of Pinckneyville (S); sixth, Dirksen (W); seventh, Bill Dorris of Benton (S); eighth, Finnegan (W); ninth, Hemphill (W); tenth, Ewing (W); eleventh, Swain (W); and twelfth, Harmon (W).

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Southern Illinois University
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11-3-47

Carbondale, Ill., Nov. - After defeating Arkansas State College of Jonesboro, Arkansas 12 to 7 last Saturday night on a rain drenched field, the Southern Illinois University Maroons turned their eyes homeward toward the final two games of the Illinois Intercollegiate Athletic Conference title race.

The Maroons of Coach Glenn "Abe" Martin are thus far undefeated in conference play with victories over Northern and Western. Only Illinois Normal University and Eastern Illinois State College remain on the conference schedule, and these two teams are scheduled the next two weeks.

Saturday the Maroons face the Redbirds of Illinois Normal University at Normal, and then the following week play host to Eastern at McAndrew Stadium at Carbondale, where the I.I.A.C. championship will probably be decided.

At Jonesboro, the Maroons were second best in the mud during the first half, allowing a smooth Arkansas State T-formation offense to gain a 7-point lead as the result of a 73 yard sustained drive.

The Arkansas Indians scored in the early minutes on the second period when aneight yard pass, their first of the game, from Luketich to Bolton, crossed up the Southern defense and was good for the touchdown. Hayden's kick for the extra point was good.

The big thrill of the second quarter was ruined when a clipping penalty nullified a dazzling 75-yard touchdown punt return by Bob Johnson of DuQuoin for Southern.

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After an exchange of punts in the third quarter's opening minutes, Southern struck from deep in their own territory when a pass from Bill Malinsky of Flora was complete to Bob Colborn, also of Flora, for 56 yards and a first down on the Arkansas State eight-yard line.

Bob Johnson took a lateral from Malinsky and skirted right end behind good blocking for the touchdown. The kick for extra point by Robert "Bunker" Jones of West Frankfort was blocked, leaving Southern on the short end of a 7 to 6 score.

On the last play of the third period Bill Cosgrove, Maroon center from Benton, recovered an Arkansas State fumble on the Arkansas 32.

On the Maroons next play Dick Seelman of Flora ran to the 18 on a lateral from Malinsku. An offside penalty against Arkansas State and an end around with Joe Hughes of West Frankfort carrying gave Southern a first down on the six.

Seelman went to the four, then was stopped for no gain, and a pass by Malinsky fell incomplete. On fourth down Malinsky passed to Hughes who took the ball on the one-yard line and stepped for the score. Again the try for point by Jones was blocked.

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11-4-47

Carbondale, Ill., Nov. - School children from many communities of Southern Illinois are planning to attend the Clare Tree Major children's play, "Heidi," to be presented by the American Association of University Women here at Southern Illinois University Nov. 12.

Invitations to children in all the schools of this area have been sent out, according to Mrs. Miniie Mae Pitkin, president of the Carbondale Branch of A.A.U.W.

The Harrisburg schools, for example, have ordered 150 tickets, she said. The Carbondale school system will excuse all children who plan to attend the play, while pupils in the training schools at the University will attend in a body.

A non-profit organization, the Clare Tree Major company is composed of adults but presents exclusively plans for children. It operates seven mobilized units which play to an estimated 2,000,000 children each year in this country and Canada.

Started more than a quarter century ago by Mrs. Major, it has built a strong reputation for authentic, capably played and effectively staged productions.

The American Association of University Women is one of the company's enthusiastic supporters; and many branches all over the country present the Clare Tree Major plays as their chief fund-raising activity as well as a contribution to the cultural development of the children of their various communities.

This year is the first time the Carbondale Branch of A.A.U.W. has sponsored one of the plays. "Heidi" will be given in Shryock Auditorium on the University campus Nov. 12 at 2:30 p. m.

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11-4-47

Carbondale, Ill., Nov. - Dr. George Sadler, who has been traveling in Europe for several months, will return to the United States this week, just in time to accept the invitation to participate in Religious Emphasis Week at Southern Illinois University Nov. 9-15, Dr. Douglas MacNoughton, director of the Student Christian Foundation, reports.

Dr. Sadler is in charge of field work for the Southern Baptist Church in Europe and the Near East.

He will arrive in Carbondale Saturday to participate in the Southern Baptist Convention here, and on Sunday evening will open Religious Emphasis Week.

He will be presented in an address on "Christianity and the Answer to World Problems," Sunday evening at 7:30 in the Little Theatre on the University campus. His address will be open to all students, faculty and the general public, Dr. MacNoughton said.

Other speakers and discussion leaders during the week-long religious observance will include the Rev. Bayard S. Clark, rector of Christ Church, Cape Girardeau, Mo.; Mrs. Anna Mow, teacher in the Religious Education Department of Bethany Biblical Institute, Chicago; Rev. W. Clark Ellzey, marital education teacher at Stephens College; and others.

The public is invited to share in the activities of Religious Emphasis Week, Dr. MacNoughton stressed.

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11-4-47

Carbondale, Ill., Nov. - Kenneth Ervin, instructor in art at Southern Illinois University, is currently exhibiting five paintings at the Riverside Museum in New York City, Ben P. Watkins, acting chairman of the art department, has announced.

The exhibit will be on display throughout the month of November.

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Carbondale, Ill., Nov. - Ben P. Watkins, acting chairman of the art department at Southern Illinois University, has been invited to become a member of the American Artists Professional League.

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Carbondale, Ill., Nov. - A float prepared by the Southern Illinois University Museum for the Southern Illinois Historical Society, featuring an 1831 McCormick reaper, a pre-patent version of the model made famous by John McCormick and the International Harvester Company, won first prize at the recent Saline County Centennial parade.

The reaper was obtained from the McCormick Company for the Southern Museum some years ago.

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Southern Illinois University
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Information Service
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11-5-47

Carbondale, Ill,, Nov. - Illinois may soon raise its low rank among the states as to the large number of extremely small school districts it has, if recommendations of county survey committees are accepted by the people, according to the School Reorganization Committee of Southern Illinois University.

Nine of 27 county school survey boards which have already reported recommended a single school district for the entire county, the committee pointed out. One has recommended 2 districts for the county, three recommended 3 districts, three recommended 4 districts, two have recommended 7 districts, one 8 districts and two 9 districts. Only six counties reporting thus far have suggested more than 10 districts per county.

"Experts contend that each school district should be of sufficient size to enroll six thousand or more students in its grade and high schools, if a rich variety of courses and services is to be offered for children and youth," Dr. Howard E. Bosley, committee chairman, explained.

"An enrollment of this size in a single district would be distributed among a considerable number of school buildings located in convenient centers, to which children would be transported by school buses."

"A single board of education, with an adequate administrative and supervisary staff could operate such a regional or county district much as city school systems operate under a single board of education."

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11-5-47

Carbondale, Ill., Nov. - A series of four radio discussions of the state high school debate subject, "How Can Labor Peace Best Be achieved?" will be broadcast by Southern Illinois University, starting Nov. 7, Willis E. Malone, supervisor of the radio program, "Education Time," has announced.

The program "Education Time" will be broadcast each Friday afternoon throughout the year, from 2:30 to 3 p. m. over both Station WJPF (1340) Herrin, and Station WEBQ (1240), Harrisburg. This program is prepared especially for classroom listening in Southern Illinois public schools.

For the first four programs, students from University speech classes, under the direction of Dr. P. Merville Larson, speech department chairman, will present discussions of the debate question.

On Nov. 7, students Lewis Hammack of Sparta, Barbara Harrison of Sparta, Walter Mueller of Steelville and Catherine Sullivan of Harrisburg will discuss "What are the nature and causes of the problem of present industrial unrest and warfare?"

On Nov. 14, Bobby Ingram of Carbondale, Rosemary Martin of Jonesboro Edwin O'Neil of West Frankfort, and Charles Walker of Carbondale will discuss "What are some possible solutions to the problem?"

On Nov. 21, Phyllis Johnson of Duquoin, Jean Larson Horton of Carbondale, Emil Oserholtz of Centralia, Verenna Cunningham of New York City, and Charles Weber of Cairo will discuss "What are the advantages and disadvantages of the existing labor legislation?"

On Dec. 5, Wanda Bennett of Christopher, Jimmie Patterson of Mt. Vernon, Raymond Peters of Balcom and George Wesdel of Royalton will discuss "What are the advantages and disadvantages of compulsory arbitration of labor disputes?"

There will be no broadcast Nov. 28 since the University will be observing its Thanksgiving recess.

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Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

Information Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

11-5-47

Carbondale, Ill., Nov. - Southern Illinois University has been invited by Governor Dwight H. Green to send its University Orchestra to Springfield Nov. 21, to play for the Fifth Annual National Aviation Clinic, University President Chester F. Lay has announced.

The orchestra, directed by Dr. Maurits Kesnar, professor and chairman of the University music department, will play at the luncheon session at the Leland Hotel.

The clinic sessions are to be held in the State Armory.

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Carbondale, Ill., Nov. - Monseigneur Zuroweste, editor of The Messenger and superintendent of the Catholic High School in East St. Louis, is the latest addition to the roster of religious educators who will serve as leaders for Religious Education Week at Southern Illinois University Nov. 9-14, Dr. Douglas MacNaughton, director of the Student Christian Foundation, announces.

Monseigneur Zuroweste will serve as one of the consultants in an open forum Tuesday evening, Nov. 11, at 8 p. m. in the Little Theatre. He is director of Catholic Charities in the Belleville Diocese and an expert in juvenile delinquency, Dr. MacNaughton said.

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Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

Information Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

ATTENTION: SPORTS EDITORS 11-5-47

Carbondale, Ill., Nov. - The championship of the Illinois Intercollegiate Athletic Conference is within the grasp of the Southern Illinois University Maroons, and whether or not they capture the title will be decided in the next two weeks.

Saturday, Nov. 8, the charges of Head Coach Glenn "Abe" Martin visit Normal where they will be the guests of the Illinois Normal University Redbirds, and the following Saturday the Martinmen return to McAndrew Stadium in Carbondale where they will close their conference play against Eastern Illinois State College, an outfit which has not yet been defeated in title play.

Eastern plays Northern this week in a game which will go a long way toward deciding the conference championship. If Northern, with a loss and a tie on their record, can beat Eastern, and the Southern Maroons can top Normal, the Maroons will have a first place tie clinched this week.

If Normal should upset Southern, or if Eastern defeats Northern, the all-important game remaining on the conference schedule will be the Southern-Eastern encounter next week, Nov. 15, at McAndrew Stadium.

After defeating a good Arkansas State team last week, Coach Martin and the Maroons have taken a well-deserved pat on the back, but nevertheless they have continued hard practice drills.

Southern goes into the Normal battle with two straight wins over the Normal Redbirds, 13 to 7 in 1946, and 33 to 19 in 1945. The last time Normal won was in 1942 by 7 to 0. In between were two ties.

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Southern is now a vastly improved team. Early in the season the ly dependable feature of the eleven was the sterling line play from ckle to tackle. That play is still great, but other parts of the am have developed rapidly.

Quite early it became evident that Coach Martin had a truly great d in Bob Colborn of Flora. But the rapid development of Joe Hughes West Frankfort has been a surprising factor. Hughes improves every me; against Arkansas State he was outstanding on a number of occasions.

After the ends had reached par with the center of the line, the xt position to improve was that of fullback. Don Riggs, who has own great promise for almost two years, finally found himself and layed a brilliant game against Western.

That left only the halfbacks to round into shape. The return of ck Seelman of Flora, who had been injured for a month, against rthern, and the breakaway running of Bob Johnson of Duquoin, plus e steady ball lugging of Roy Ragsdale of Carbondale and George wyer of Wood River, gave the Maroons good halfback strength.

At quarterback, Bill Malinsky of Flora has been a consistant and ften brilliant operater all season, but he had no dependable eplacement until George Baysinger of Carbondale reported for practice month after the beginning of the season. Baysinger has played very ell in the last two games; against Arkansas State his running was xcellent.

The Maroons are well rounded. A conference championship is asily within their grasp if they maintain the pace they have set in inning their last three consecutive games.

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Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

Information Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

11-6-47

Carbondale, Ill., Nov. - Religious Emphasis Week will be observed at Southern Illinois University November 9-15. The public is invited to attend the enlightened program planned for the week.

Dr. George Sadler, Director of Southern Baptist work in Europe and the Near East, will open Religious Emphasis Week with an address on "Christianity the Answer to World Crisis" on Sunday evening at 7:30 in the Little Theatre on the University campus.

Seminars will be held daily, Monday through Thursday, at three and four o'clock. Rev. Clark W. Ellsey, member of the faculty in the Division of Marriage and the Family of Stephens College, will conduct a seminar on "Marriage, Before and After the Ceremony" at three in room 203 A of the Main building at Southern Illinois University.

Mrs. Anna B. Mow, former missionary to India and now a member of the faculty in Religious Education at Bethany Biblical Institute in Chicago, will hold a seminar "On Being Fit to Live With" at 3 o'clock in room 101 in the Main Building.

Four o'clock seminars will be led by Reverend Bayard Clark, minister of the Episcopal church in Cape Girardeau, Missouri, and Mrs. Marion T. Nagler, also of the faculty in the Division of Marriage and the Family at Stephens College. Mr. Clark will lead the group in the discussion of "Christian Citizenship" in room 107 in the Main Building. Mrs. Nagler's discussion will be in room 101 in Old Main on "Being Fit to Live With."

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Rt. Rev. Msgr. Albert R. Zuroweste, Superintendent of Catholic High School, East St. Louis, will conduct a seminar in room 301 Old Main on Tuesday only. He will also participate in the Little Theatre Open Forum Discussion based on questions to be submitted by students and faculty on Tuesday evening at 8 p. m.

At 8 p. m. on Thursday, Mr. Ellzey, Mr. Clark, Mrs. Now, Mrs. Nagler, and Russell Fuller, President of National Disciples Student Organization, who attended the Oslo Youth Conference, will direct a panel discussion on "Christianity and the Answers."

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Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

Information Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

ATTENTION: SPORTS EDITORS 11-6-47

For Friday release:

Carbondale, Ill., Nov. - Tomorrow afternoon the Southern Illinois University Maroons will meet the Redbirds of Illinois State Normal University at Normal in a crutial battle of the Illinois Intercollegiate Conference.

The league-leading Maroons, undefeated thus far in conference play with vic ories over Northern and Western, meet the Normal Redbirds in a struggle which will be very important in determining the conference champion.

Normal is an up-and-coming team which lost to Washington University of St. Louis by a 14 to 13 margin last week after a hard-fought, evenly contested game. Earlier the Redbirds tied, 7 to 7, with Northern, whom the Maroons later defeated in the mud 20 to 0.

With Normal on the upswing, in spite of a defeat earlier in the season by Eastern 13 to 7, they should provide plenty of trouble for the high-riding Maroons of Coach Glenn "Abe" Martin.

Only two minor injuries will handicap the Martinmen tomorrow, and neither of these are serious enough to keep the men on the bench.

Robert "Bunker" Jones of West Frankfort is still slowed by a charley-horse, and Bill Cosgrove of Benton is suffering from weakened shoulder. J. Pieron of Murphysboro will probably start in place of Cosgrove.

The Maroons running attack, which found itself on the muddy gridirons of the last two Saturdays, should be ready to operate at top

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speed for the first time this season at Normal if the ground is dry.

Halfbacks Bob Johnson of Du uoin and Dick Seelman of Flora are really in the grove now, after a slack early season.

Against Normal last year Seelman ran brilliantly, gaining over 110 yards and averaging over six yards per try on straight plays.

Johnson, who has alternated between left and right halfback all season, will play right half, and Seelman will take the left half slot in the starting lineup.

This will be the first time this season that both men have started and played at the same time, and it will give the Maroons the maximun in offensive running strenght.

Probable starting lineup:

LE Bunker Jones of West Frankfort

LT Charles Mathieu of Eldorado, Capt.

LG Jim Lovin of Benton

C J. Pieron of Murphysboro

RG Bob Etheridge of Fairfield

RT John Corn of Benton

RE Bob Colborn of Flora

QB Bill Malinsky of Flora

LHB Dick Seelman of Flora

RHB Bob Johnson of Du uoin

FB Don Riggs of Fairfield

Broadcast of the game will be carried by radio station WCIL, Carbondale, with Don Boudreau at the mike.

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Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

Information Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

ATTENTION: SPORTS EDITORS 11-6-47

Carbondale, Ill., Nov. - The Southern Illinois University harriers will participate in the Illinois Intercollegiate Athletic Conference championship run Saturday, Nov. 8, when the title run is held at Eastern Illinois State College of Charleston.

The cross-country men of Coach Leland P. "Doc" Lingle have been defeated only once in dual meets this season. That defeat was at the hands of Eastern in the Maroons opening contest, but since that time the Linglemen have defeated Eastern in a return engagement.

Favored in the conference meet is Illinois State Normal University. The Redbird runners have been undefeated thus far this season, and most of their victories have been by wide margins. The Maroons are expected to crowd Normal, and Eastern has not been counted out of the fight.

Freshman Joe McLafferty of Carbondale will try to place first in his sixth consecutive run. If he does win, he will have finished the season undefeated.

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From Information Service, Southern Illinois University
Lorena Drummond, Director

11-10-47

Carbondale, Ill., Nov. - For the second consecutive year, Southern Illinois University on Dec. 6 will be host to Southern Illinois high school orators for a Speech Festival, Dr. P. Merville Larson, chairman of the speech department, has announced.

The festival will be sponsored by Tau Delta Rho, Southern discussion club; the Illinois Upsilon chapter of Pi Kappa Delta, national honorary forensics society; and the Southern speech department.

Events on the calendar for the festival will include oratorical, dramatic and humorous declamation, extemporaneous speaking, original oratory, poetry reading, and group discussion.

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Carbondale, Ill., Nov. - Rehearsal time for "The Messiah," oratorio to be presented in mid-December by the Southern Illinois Oratorio Society, has been changed to 7 p. m. for the rehearsal scheduled for Monday, Nov. 17, in order that chorus members may attend the Jennie Tourel concert presented that evening by the Community Concert Association, Dr. Maurits Kesnar, chairman of the music department at Southern Illinois University, has announced.

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From Information Service
Southern Illinois University
Carbondale, Illinois

Lorena Drummond
Director

Attention: Sports Editors 11-10-47

Carbondale, Ill., Nov. - The Illinois Intercollegiate Athletic Conference title chase will be decided at McAndrew Stadium in Carbondale, Saturday, Nov. 15, when the loop leading Southern Illinois University Maroons face the Eastern Illinois State College Panthers.

The Maroons have their conference record marred only by a 6 to 6 tie with Illinois State Normal University at Normal last Saturday, while the Panthers have suffered one conference loss to Northern, 25 to 6, last Saturday.

Conference rules rate a tie as a half game won and a half game lost. Thus the Maroons have a record of two and one half wins and one half lost, against one won and one lost for Eastern.

If the Maroons defeat Eastern, they will be undisputed champions. Even a tie with Eastern would assure Southern a tie for the championship, with Eastern still having one more game to play against Western.

In their game against Normal Saturday, the Maroons scored first, early in the second period, when they struck by air from their own territory.

With the ball on Southern's 39, Dick Seelman of Flora took a lateral from Bill Malinsky, also of Flora, faded deep, and passed to Joe Hughes of West Frankfort on the Normal 35. With the aid of good downfield blocking, Hughes raced the remaining distance for a touchdown on a 61 yard pass play.

The try for extra point was no good when end Merlin Belle of Normal blocked the kick of Bret McGinnis of Carbondale.

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Although Normal threatened often during the game, the Maroons managed, by alert defensive plans, to keep them from scoring until late in the fourth quarter.

With about six minutes remaining, Normal started a sustained drive of 41 yards which tied the score two minutes later. After Malinsky kicked out of bounds on the Southern 41, scatback Gene Stratman, Normal's elusive openfield ace, skirted end, reversed his field beautifully, and raced to the Southern 15.

A line smash by Del Santo, to the 11, a pass from Brady to Stratman to the five, and a plunge by Brady gave Norhern a first down on the two yard line.

After Stratman was thrown back to the five, Brady passed to Ray Morelli in the end zone for the touchdown. The try for extra point failed on a bad pass from center.

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From Information Service, Southern Illinois University

Lorena Drummond, Director

Attention: Sports Editors 11-12-47

Carbondale, Ill., Nov. - It's conference championship time in Carbondale, where the Illinois Intercollegiate Athletic Conference championship will be decided Saturday, Nov. 15, at McAndrew Stadium.

The league-leading Southern Maroons of Coach Glenn "Abe" Martin serve as hosts to the second place Panthers of Eastern Illinois State College of Charleston.

With only one tie, 6 to 6 with Illinois State Normal University, to spoil their record, the Martinmen have a golden opportunity to capture their first conference title since 1931.

Eastern lost 25 to 6 to Northern, a team which the Maroons defeated earlier, 20 to 0. On the basis of this score Southern is six touchdowns the better.

However, Eastern defeated Normal earlier in the season 13 to 7, which would indicate that on that comparison, they were one touchdown better than the Maroons.

With comparative scores very misleading, as usual, the game will probably be played with Southern established as a slight favorite with the victory going to the team which makes and takes advantage of the breaks.

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From Information Service--Southern Illinois University

Lorena Drummond, Director

Attention: Sports Editors 11-12-47

Carbondale, Ill., Nov. - The Southern Illinois University Maroons, defending basketball champions of the Illinois Intercollegiate Athletic Conference, have scheduled 20 regular games this year, and will participate in a Holiday Tournament at Vincennes, Indiana.

The Maroons open their schedule at the Southern gymnasium on Dec. 5, with Scott Field furnishing the opposition.

Schedule:

Dec. 5, Scott Field, here; Dec. 6, Evansville College, there; Dec. 9, Murray State Teachers, Paducah, Ky.; Dec. 12, Arkansas State College, there; Dec. 13, Cape Girardeau, there; Dec. 19, James Millikin University, here; Dec. 20, Shurtleff College, there; Jan. 1, Holiday Tournament, Vincennes, Indiana; Jan. 9, James Millikin, University, there; Jan. 10, Northern Illinois State Teachers College, there; Jan. 14, Cape Girardeau, here; Jan. 17, Eastern Illinois State College, there; Jan. 20, Arkansas State College; here; Jan. 24, Western Illinois State College, here; Jan. 29, Indiana Central, here; Jan. 31, Illinois State Normal University, here; Feb. 7, Northern Illinois State Teachers College, here; Feb. 13, Western Illinois State College, there; Feb. 21, Eastern Illinois State College, here; Feb. 24, Evansville College, here; and Feb. 28, Illinois State Normal University, there.

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From Information Service--Southern Illinois University

Lorena Drummond, Director

11-12-47

Carbondale, Ill., Nov. - A Kindergarten-Primary Conference will be sponsored by Southern Illinois University here Nov. 21-22 for teachers and administrators of Southern Illinois.

The University branch of the Association for Childhood Education is making arrangements for the conference, at which Miss Neith Headley, from the Institute of Child Welfare, University of Minnesota, will be the key guest speaker.

Miss Headley will give two addresses, one at the opening session on "Problems of Organizing a Kindergarten," the other at the dinner session Nov. 21, on "The Nonconformist: The Aggressive."

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Carbondale, Ill., Nov. - An article on "Exclusion, Ejection, and Segregation of Theater Patrons" by Max W. Turner, new associate professor of government at Southern Illinois University, appeared in a recent issue of the Iowa Law Review.

Dr. Turner collaborated in writing the article with Frank R. Kennedy, associate professor of Law at the State University of Iowa. In the article the two authors surveyed the various state laws and various court rulings permitting or prohibiting exclusion, ejection or segregation of patrons.

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From Information Service, Southern Illinois University

Lorena Drummond, Director

11-12-47

Carbondale, Ill., Nov. - A new variety of wheat--Vigo--has proven to be the top producer on the Southern Illinois University Farm, with a yield of 57.82 bushels per acre in 1946-47, according to Dr. Lowell Tucker acting chairman of the agriculture department.

Another new strain, the Indiana Red Wave, yielded 57.21 bushels per acre.

This year was the first year the University Farm has planted either of these varieties, although Vigo has been tested elsewhere for the past three years.

Other varieties tested in 1946-47 and their respective yields per acre follow: Illinois D-85, 54.87 bushels; Fairfield, Fulcaster and Trumbull, 49.8 bushels each; Goens, 49.17; Clarkan, 48.54; Blackhawk and Newcaster, 47.69 each; and Prairie, 41.99.

Records on the yield per acre at the University Farm were compiled by Alex Reed, Assistant Professor of Agriculture in University High School.

Comparative records on the yield per acre were compiled by Reed covering 1943-44, 1944-45 and 1946-47. Only two of the 11 varieties planted in 1946-47 were planted each of the three years--Fulcaster, with a three-year average yield of 43.54 bushels per acre, and Prairie, with a 35.76 bushel-per-acre average yield.

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The 1943-44 yield of both these varieties was relativelt high--48.3 for Fulcaster and 40.5 for Prairie--but the yield of all varieties dropped drastically in 1944-45, ranging from 24.8 for Prairie to 35.16 for Trumbull-Fultz C. I. 12220. The last variety was not planted in 1946-47.

Indicative of the better growing season of 1946-47, the yield for Fulcaster rose from 48.3 in 1943-44 to 49.8 last year, while that of Prairie increased from 40.5 to 41.99.

Among the varieties planted in both 1944-45 and 1946-47, the Illinois D085 showed the highest two-year average yield--43.57 bushels per acre. The yield of this variety was only 32.28 bushels in 1944-45 but mounted to 54.87 bushels this year.

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From Information Service, Southern Illinois University
Lorena Drummond, Director

11-13-47

For Friday Release:

Attention: Sports Editors

Carbondale, Ill., Nov. - Southern Illinois University's great line will have it's hands full Saturday when it draws the task of stopping Eastern Illinois State College's crew of fast, flashy back at McAndrew Stadium in Carbondale where the two teams will battle for the Illinois Intercollegiate Athletic Conference title.

The league leading Maroons of Coach Glenn "Abe" Martin are after the first Southern championship since 1931, and are given a good chance to come through.

Eastern has backfield speed and power combined in one man, 195 pound 10 second man Smith, a blazing runner from Downers Grove.

Another fast 195 pound halfback is Don Johnson, who has combined with Smith in blitzing the opponent's ends all year on powerful sweeps.

However, Southern has two great ends, Bob Colborn of Flora, a steady, outstanding performer all year, and Joe Hughes of West Frankfort to slow their running.

Quarterback for the Panthers from Charleston is a former great star of Murphysboro High School, Bob Babb.

Babb is the outstanding passer for the Eastern team, and is used primarily for offense, since his signal-calling is Eastern's mainstay.

The Maroons are not in top shape for the game, and Coach Martin has been striving all week to bring his charges to a sharp mental edge.

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Most serious casualty for the Maroons is quarterback Bill Malinsky who is still suffering from the effects of the hard battle the Maroons had against Normal in their 6-6 deadlock last week.

Malinsky, passer deluxe and T-formation ball-handler, has been suffering all week from a weak knee and stomach cramps. However, it is hoped that Malinsky will be recovered enough by tomorrow to give a good account of himself.

Much of the Maroons offensive strength is based on passer Malinsky, who is now in his fourth year with Southern. If Malinsky is able to see only limited action, his place will be taken by George Baysinger of Carbondale or Gene Woods of Fairfield.

Woods is a freshman who has come into prominence in only the last few weeks, and who may play quite a bit in the Eastern game.

Robert "Bunker" Jones of West Frankfort is still suffering from the charley-horse which kept him from playing last week at Normal, but since the muscle is responding to treatment, he probably will be able to see considerable action.

Dick Seelman of Flora is bothered by a shoulder injury, which limits his effectiveness, and Warren Littleford of Vandalia, strong freshman reserve at tackle, is nursing a sore arm. Both these men, however, will be able to see action.

Playing their last home game for the Maroons will be three seniors who have started regularly this season, Capt. Charles Mathieu of Eldorado, scrappy, brilliant guard Bob Etheridge of Fairfield, and Malinsky.

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Probable starting lineup for Southern:

LE Joe Hughes of West Frankfort

LT Charles Mathieu of Eldorado

LG Jim Lovin of Benton

C Bill Cosgrove of Benton or J. Pieron of Murphysboro

RG Bob Etheridge of Fairfield

RT John Corn of Benton

RE Bob Colborn of Flora

QB Bill Malinsky of Flora

LHB Dick Seelman of Flora

RHB Bob Johnson of EuQuoin

FB Don Riggs of Fairfield

The game will be broadcast over Radio Stations WCIL Carbondale, and WJPF Herrin.

From Information Service, Southern Illinois University
Lorena Drummond, Director

Attention: Sports Editors 11-13-47
For Friday Release:

Carbondale, Ill., Nov. - Southern Illinois University Athletic Director Glenn "Abe" Martin declined to comment today on whether or not the Southern Maroons will accept an invitation to play in the First Annual Corn Bowl game at Bloomington have indicated that the Maroons, who presently lead the Illinois Intercollegiate Athletic Conference, have the inside track to an invitation to play.

North Central, leader of the College Conference of Illinois, is reported to be the other team which may receive an invitation.

Final selection of the contestants will be made Sunday, Nov. 16, after the results of Southern's game against E stern Illinois State College and North Central's tilt with Carthage, are known.

Athletic Director and Head Football Coach Martin, without commenting directly on the report, implied that Southern's decision will probably be determined by their performance against Eastern in the I. I. A. C. title game tomorrow in McAndrew Stadium in Carbondale.

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From the Southern Illinois University Information Service
Lorena Drummond, Editor

11-14-47

Carbondale, Ill., Nov. - Five temporary buildings this week were accepted by Southern Illinois University from the Federal Works Agency to be used as additional classroom, library and office space, University President Chester F. Lay has announced.

Papers releasing the buildings to the University were signed by President Lay and R. C. Ashton of Chicago, division engineer for the Federal Works Agency, Bureau of Community Facilities, on Thursday of this week.

These buildings are all barracks assigned to the University after a survey made by the U. S. Office of Education showed an emergency need for 17,000 square feet of additional space in order that the institution may adequately care for student veterans.

The barracks have been converted into five buildings, one an addition to the Wheeler Library, one an office building on Harwood Street, and the other three, located on Chautauqua Street, to be used as classroom structures.

Occupancy of the classroom buildings must be deferred until heating and utility facilities can be installed. Specifications for this work have been authorized by the State Department of Architecture and Engineering, and bids are now being assembled for the construction of a boiler room, additional grading, sidewalks, and utility facilities, according to Edward V. Miles, Jr., University business manager.

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The library addition will be the first to be occupied, President Lay said, and added that students will probably get to study there for their final examinations this term. The office building will also be ready for occupancy soon, he said. Both of these structures are to be serviced by heating and utility facilities from the main campus lines, hence can be utilized immediately.

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From the Southern Illinois University Information Service
Lorena Drummond, Editor

11-14-47

Carbondale, Ill., Nov. - An intra-mural forensics tournament will be held at Southern Illinois University Nov. 17-26, according to Dr. P. Merville Larson, chairman of the speech department.

The tournament is open to all University students, either as individuals or as representatives of campus organizations.

The events include extemporaneous speaking, debate, impromptu speaking, poetry reading, interpretation, original oratory, folk-story telling and after dinner speaking.

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Carbondale, Ill., Nov. - Language students at University High School, Southern Illinois University, will have a United Nations Dinner here Nov. 20, Mrs. Evelyn Rieke, language teacher, has announced.

Each student will dress to represent a foreign country; flags of the United Nations and appropriately dressed dolls will be used as table decorations; an international menu of Italian spaghetti, Dutch salad, South American chocolate, French pastry, and American ice cream, will be served.

The French classes are in charge of table decorations, Latin classes the program, and Spanish class the food. The dinner will be held in the home economics department dining room in the University's Main Building.

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From the Southern Illinois University Information Service
Lorena Drummond, Editor

Attention: Sports Editors 11-18-47

Carbondale, Ill., Nov. - With the Illinois Intercollegiate Athletic Conference championship safely tucked away by virtue of an easy 33 to 13 victory of Eastern Illinois State College last Saturday, the Southern Illinois University Maroons are drilling for their regular-season closer this week against the Southeastern Missouri State Teachers at Cape Girardeau.

After the victory over Eastern, Southern Athletic Director and Head Coach Glenn "Abe" Martin announced that the Maroons had accepted an invitation to play in the Corn Bowl at Bloomington on Thanksgiving day.

Southern's opponent in the Corn Bowl will be North Central, champions of the College Conference of Illinois.

In winning the conference title, two men in Southern's backfield played brilliantly, Bill Malinsky of Flora dnd George Sawyer of Wood River.

Malinsky's great passing, with Sawyer receiving, set up two early touchtowns for the Maroons, and broke the back of the Eastern defense. In his final performance on the Southern gridiron, Malinsky played one of the finest games of his career, although due to injuries his role was limited to ball-handling and passing.

It was George Sawyer who provided the thrills for the crowd of more than 3,000. Previously little watched, Sawyer burst upon an

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unsuspecting audience with a magnificant running performance that brought his name to the lips of every spectator.

He averaged over nine yards a try on rushing by gaining 73 yards in eight tries, with one of the runs good for 40 yards through a broken field. He took three passes from Malinsky good for 78 yards.

It was on pass defense where Sawyer played most billiantly. He intercepted two passes, and returned them a total of 117 yards, one for 80 yards from his own three to the Eastern 23, which saw him race along one sideline for 25 yards and then bring the crowd to its feet as he completely reversed his field and went on and on down the other side.

Eastern struck for the game's first score early in the first quarter, when a 15-yard pass from Boyle to Ghere was complete and Ghere raced 45 additional yards for the touchdown.

Southern struck back quickly on a sustained march of 71 yards which was highlighted by a 40 yard Malinsky-to-Sawyer pass. Joe Hughes of West Frankfort scored on an end-around play from the six.

Sawyer powered his way over for the next touchdown from the eight yard line to climax a 61-yard sustained drive.

A few minutes later, Sawyer scored again, this time from the one. The next Maroon touchdown came in the middle of the third period when Joe Hughes scored a second time on an end around, this time from the four.

Capt. Charles Mathieu, Maroon left tackle, scored when he fell on a fumble by Eastern quarterback Bob Babb on the first play of the fourth quarter. Babb was snowed under behind the goal line, fumbled, and Mathieu turned the bobble into six points.

Eastern's second touchdown was scored at the expense of Southern's second and third teams. A pass from Boyle to Anderson, who lateraled to Smith, was good for 10 yards and the score.

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From the Southern Illinois University Information Service
Lorena Drummond, Editor

Release Thursday 11-18-47

Carbondale, Ill., Nov. 19 - Kindergarten and primary teachers and school administrators from Southern Illinois will gather here at Southern Illinois University for a two-day Kindergarten-Primary Conference Friday and Saturday.

Miss Neith Headley, Institute of Child Welfare, University of Minnesota, will be a guest lecturer and consultant, and will keynote the conference in her opening address Friday morning at 10 o'clock, on "Problems of Organizing a Kindergarten."

The conference will open at 9:45 with a welcome by Dr. Eugene R. Fair, dean of the University College of Education, which is sponsoring the meeting. Coffee and doughnuts will be served preceding the meeting.

After Miss Headley's address, Mrs. Jessie M. Fair, formerly assistant in the Child Welfare Research Station, State University of Iowa, will speak on "Detecting Personality Problems."

Discussion will follow each of these addresses.

In the afternoon, Miss Headley will speak on "Curriculum Problems," and at the Saturday morning session Miss Louise Gross from Southeast Missouri State College, Missouri State president of the Association for Childhood Education, will speak on "Organizing A.C.E. Branches."

Miss Headley and Miss Tina Goodwin, assistant professor and first grade supervisor at the Allyn Training School at Southern, will analyze the "nonconfirmist child," Miss Goodwin speaking on "the shy child" Friday afternoon, and Miss Headley on "the aggressive child" at the Friday evening dinner.

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University President Chester F. Lay will extend greetings to the group at the Friday dinner at the University Cafeteria.

Arrangements for the conference are being carried out by the University branch of the Association for Childhood Education and Dr. Sina M. Mott, associate professor of pre-school education at the University and the group's sponsor.

Sessions will be held in the Little Theatre. The Saturday morning breakfast will be held at The Cottage, University kindergarten-nursery school, and the Saturday luncheon at the Baptist Foundation.

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From the Southern Illinois University Information Service
Lorena Drummond, Editor

Attention: Sports Editors 11-19-47

Carbondale, Ill., Nov. - The Southern Illinois University football Maroons are finding it an almost impossible task to concentrate upon the game at hand this week when they travel to Cape Girardeau to meet Southeast Missouri State Teachers College.

The thoughts of the team are drifting over the Cape game toward their contest with North Central on Thanksgiving in the first Corn Bowl game at Bloomington.

The Illinois Intercollegiate Athletic Conference champions of Coach Glenn "Abe" Martin have been slowed in practice not only by thoughts of the Corn Bowl, but also by inclement weather which has limited practice sessions to the barest minimuns.

With this state of affairs prevailing, the game against Cape Girardeau, is an anti-climax. In defeating Eastern 33-13 last week the Maroons hit the peak of their season's play, and will probably be a little "let down" against Cape.

Last Saturday, after serving as the doormat in their conference during most of the early season, the Cape team snapped out of its lethargy and defeated the team which previously had been leading the conference, Springfield, Mo.

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From the Southern Illinois University Information Service
Lorena Drummond, Editor

11-19-47

Carbondale, Ill., Nov. - The former Carter's Cafe, "jelly joint" for generations of Southern Illinois University students, will reopen as a student center in a few weeks under new management and under the name of "The Canteen."

The building was purchased last spring by the University from the Carter family.

It has now been leased to Martin Chaney and Gene Crawshaw, Carbondale businessmen, for operation as a cafe and confectionery. The lease was signed on behalf of the University this week by Frank G. Thompson, director of the State Department of Registration and Education, according to Edward V. Miles, Jr., University business manager.

The lessees report that they hope to open the new "Canteen" by the opening of the winter term Dec. 8.

The lease provides for renewal at two-year intervals, that dancing shall be prohibited, that sale of alcoholic beverages shall be prohibited, and that "The Canteen" shall be open to all students. The building is rented to the lessees at $125 per month rental.

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From the Southern Illinois University Information Service
Lorena Drummond, Editor

11-19-47

Carbondale, Ill., Nov. - Several lithographs by Kenneth Ervin, new instructor in art at Southern Illinois University, are published in a new art textbook, Introduction to Art Activities, by Ralph Wickiser, head of the department of fine arts at Louisiana State University.

Dr. Wickiser is a native of Greenup, Ill., and graduated from Eastern Illinois State College, according to Ben. Watkins, acting chairman of the Southern art department. Mr. Ervin did his graduate work in graphic arts and has won several important prizes in national and regional shows for his work in this field, Mr. Watkins said.

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Carbondale, Ill., Nov. - Glenn "Abe" Martin, athletic director and head football coach at Southern Illinois University, will be the principal speaker at a banquet to be given by the Lions Club of Pana, in honor of the Pana high school football team, Tuesday evening, Nov. 25.

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From the Southern Illinois University Information Service
Lorena Drummond, Editor

Attention: Sports Editors 11-20-47

For Friday Release:

Carbondale, Ill., Nov. 21 - The Southern Illinois University Maroons will leave at 10:30 tomorrow morning for Cape Girardeau where they will play their final regular season game against Southeast Missouri State Teachers College.

In spite of the Corn Bowl-glazed eyes so common on the Maroon squad, Head Coach Glenn "Abe" Martin says that there has not been as great a "let-down" in practice as was to be expected after the victory of the Martin men against Eastern last Saturday which clinched the Illinois Intercollegiate Athletic Conference championship.

Monday there was no practice, and on Tuesday only a short drill in the rain, but on Wednesday, after their short lay-off the Maroons looked sharp in a long, tiring "dummy" scrimmage.

Special emphasis in practice was given to passing offense. Bill Malinsky of Flora, Southern's brilliant passer, who spent the afternoon of the Eastern game throwing strikes, has been worked hard. Malinsky is now in top physical condition again, having finally recovered from the punishment he received at the hands of Illinois Normal University almost two weeks ago.

There are no serious injuries to hinder the Maroons as they face the Missouri team, which has not been scouted by Southern at any time.

Halfback Dick Seelman of Flora is still nursing a lame shoulder, which limits his passing effectiveness, but he will be able to see action.

Don Riggs of Fairfield, fullback, has almost recovered from the sluggishness-producing body-bruises he absorbed against Eastern, and by the end of the week he should be able to operate in high gear.

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From the Southern Illinois University Information Service
Lorena Drummond, Editor

11-21-47

Carbondale, Ill., Nov. - On invitation of Governor Dwight H. Green, the University Orchestra of Southern Illinois University will play in Springfield at the Fifth Annual National Aviation Clinic on November 21.

The orchestra, under the direction of Dr. Maurits Kesnar, professor and chairman of the University music department, will play for the luncheon session at the Leland Hotel and the clinic sessions at the State Armory.

Those students who will make the trip are:

BELLEVILLE: Kent Werner

CAMBRIA: Bill Morse

CARBONDALE: James Farmer, Johnny Fly, J. D. Miskell, Barbara Swartz, former students--Alma Deane Smith, Ernestine Cox Taylor.

CHRISTOPHER: Carl Lutes

COLLINSVILLE: Mel Siener

DU QUOIN: Mike R. Bianco, Jr., Harrison Pallett.

E. ST. LOUIS: Anne Kuehn
ZEIGLER: Charline Hall, Lyndell D. Dunlap
FAIRFIELD: Robert Eugene Howey, Sue Collins, Bill Green
WATERLOO: Norman Rodenburg
GRANITE CITY: Richard Barron
HERRIN: Naomi Kuehner, Roger N. Hughes, Carolyn Miller, Ray Springs
LINCOLN: Robert Harmon
MARION: Roy Barth
METROPOLIS: Ellen R. Williams
MURPHYSBORO: Bill Ledbetter
NORRIS CITY: Doris Ivy
SALEM: Jacqueline Davis, Jerrol Williams
VIENNA: Louise Toy, Harold L. Gray, Betty McHenry, Anette McIntire, Patricia Murrie
WEST FRANKFORT: Elizabeth Ann Whiteside, Joann Weaver, Juanita Plantec, Harold Eldridge, Chloteal Arnette.

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From the Southern Illinois University Information Service
Lorena Drummond, Editor

11-21-47

Carbondale, Ill., Nov. - A "food handlers school" for student house supervisors and Carbondale restaurant operators and their staffs opened by Southern Illinois University this week drew between 60 and 70 "students," Ralph Boatman, University health coordinator, reports.

Sponsored by the University housing counselor's office, the Dean of Women's Office and the Health Service, the "school" will be continued periodically, and owners of restaurants, especially those patronized by students, will be urged to attend.

The first session of the "school" was held Thursday night at the University Cafeteria, and participants inspected the Modern food-handling facilities of the cafeteria, including the new automatic dishwasher.

The entire food service staffs from University dormitory and the cafeteria attended, and representatives came from all fraternities and sororities and from many campus boarding houses, Boatman said.

A film on sanitary food-handling was shown, and Boatman and Dr. Marie A. Hinrichs, director of the Health Service, lectured to the group on personal health, on diseases transmitted by improper food handling, on sanitary food storage, food preparation, and dishwashing.

The next session of the "school" will be conducted at Anthony Hall, University girls' dormitory, in January, Boatman said.

Boatman joined the University staff this fall as health coordinator under a new program conducted jointly by the University and the Kellogg Foundation. He teaches health education courses on the campus and in

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the Extension Service, and carries on field work in communities of Southern Illinois. His field work consists of lectures, cooperation with community health agencies and with schools in developing health programs, and conducting training programs such as the "food-handlers' school."

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Carbondale, Ill., Nov. - Dr. W. C. Bicknell, professor and chairman of the industrial education department at Southern Illinois University, has been elected a member of the Industrial Arts Conference of the Mississippi Valley, Dr. Henry J. Rehn, dean of the College of Vocations and Professions, has announced.

This conference is composed of chairmen of industrial education or industrial art departments of colleges and universities in 20 states in the Mississippi Valley. Membership is limited to 65.

Dr. Bicknell recently attended the conference's annual meeting in Chicago.

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From the Southern Illinois University Information Service
Lorena Drummond, Editor

11-21-47

Carbondale, Ill., Nov. - Miss Jean Stehr and Miss Therese Ivanuck, faculty members in the department of physical education for women at Southern Illinois University, will attend a Dance Symposium at the University of Chicago Nov. 22.

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Carbondale, Ill., Nov. - Miss Helen Shuman, dean of women at Southern Illinois University, and Mrs. Chester F. Lay, wife of University President Lay, recently attended the 75th anniversary conference of the Y.W.C.A. at Illinois State Normal University, both appearing on the program. Miss Shuman spoke at the afternoon session, while Mrs. Lay responded to one of the luncheon toasts, "The Challenge Still Sounds Today."

Miss Shuman also attended the meeting of the Association of College Admission Counselors at Highland Park last week.

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From the Southern Illinois University Information Service
Lorena Drummond, Editor

11-21-47

Carbondale, Ill., Nov. - Mildred Lorenz of Waterloo, a sophomore, has been awarded the $200 P.T.A. scholarship at Southern Illinois University for 1947-48, Miss Helen A. Shuman, dean of women and chairman of the Scholarship and Loans Committee, has announced.

This scholarship is made available annually by the Illinois Congress of Parents and Teachers for award to a student who was graduated from an accredited high school having a parent-teacher organization affiliated with the Illinois Congress.

Miss Lorenz is the sixth recipient of the award. She is a 1946 graduate of Waterloo High School, where she participated in the Hi-Tri, Girls Athletic Association, the Home Economics Club, Mixed Chorus, the orchestra, and dramatics. She was also co-editor of the school paper and yearbook, and was chosen by her classmates to receive the D.A.R. "good citizenship" award. Graduated as the valedictorian of her class, she was awarded a State Normal School Scholarship, which she is using to defray her tuition at Southern.

As a student at Southern she has helped earn her expenses by working part-time in University High School, but has maintained a high scholastic average--4.7 out of a possible 5-point average and received scholastic recognition at the Honors Day exercises last spring. She is majoring in elementary education. She is a member of the Newman Club and the Independent Student Union, and this fall became a pledge to Girls Rally, University service organization.

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From the Southern Illinois University Information Service
Lorena Drummond, Editor

Attention: Sports Editors 11-24-47

Carbondale, Ill., Nov. - After finishing their regular season schedule with a 20-to-13 victory of the Indians of Southeast Missouri State Teachers College, the red-hot Southern Illinois University Maroons, Illinois Intercollegiate Athletic Conference Champions, are getting set in practice sessions for their Corn Bowl tussle with North Central on Thanksgiving day at Bloomington.

Against Southeast Missouri State Teachers College of Cape Girardeau the Maroons piled up an overwhelming lead early in the game, almost effortlessly, and then clung tenaciously to their margin.

Cape recieved the opening kickoff, but fumbled on the first play, giving Southern possession of the ball on the Cape 17-yard line. Three plays later the Maroons had scored. George Sawyer of Wood River flashed to the 5, and Don Riggs of Fairfield lugged the pigskin over in two more tries.

The try for point by Bret McGinnis of Carbondale was good.

The Maroons followed quickly with their second score. After the kickoff, Cape was forced to punt when they failed to gain, and the kick went out of bounds on the Cape 40. After two short running plays, Bill Malinsky of Flora set up the touchdown when he hit Sawyer with pass good to the four yard line. Four line cracks allowed Riggs to score again from the one. McGinnis' lick was no good.

Early in the third period the Maroons scored on a 64-yard sustained drive. The drive was highlighted by two perfect passes from the brilliant

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Malinsky to Galen Davis of DuQuoin and George Beltz of Marion. Sawyer ran smoothly to add yardage as did Bob Colborn of Flora who picked up 10 yards on an end around. Malinsky personally tallied when he drove over from the one foot line on a quarterback sneak. McGinnis' kick was good.

In the last period the Indians of Cape Girardeau proved themselves to be "wampum-players" as they fought gamely to bring the game to an exciting end. Early in the period Abernethy climaxed a 39-yard march by scoring from the one. Anderson's kick was no good.

Two minutes later the Indians again gained possession of the ball when end Klosterman intercepted a pass by George Baysinger of Carbondale on the Cape Girardeau 37-yard line. Nine plays later Anderson plunged over from the one. This time his kick was good, making the final score 20 to 13.

Statistics:

	Southern	Cape Girardeau
First downs	10	9
Passes attempted	5	24
Passes completed	3	5
Passes intercepted	1	1
Yards Passing	87	61
Yards Rushing	159	126
Total yards	246	187
Opponents fumbles recovered	2	1
Yards lost: penalties	45	15

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From the Southern Illinois University Information Service
Lorena Drummond, Editor

11-24-47

Carbondale, Ill., Nov. - In a quandary about a centerpiece for your Thanksgiving dinner?

Here's a suggestion from Miss Pauline DeHass, assistant professor of home economics and supervisor of the home management practice house at Southern Illinois University:

Select a rather loose head of cabbage, trim off the outer leaves and cut a one-inch slice from the top. Place top downward in salt water, using two tablespoons of salt for each quart of water. Allow cabbage to remain at least two hours in this salt water. This will make the cabbage easy to open and press out with your fingers in the shape of a large rose. After it is pressed in the desired shape, rinse it several times in fresh cold water to remove the salt, which otherwise would make it limp.

Make roses of beets and turnips. Attractive sprays of carrots can be made by cutting--as for carrot strips--from the tip of the carrot to about an inch from the base end. Wide pieces of celery can be cut in the same manner.

Arrange the beets, turnips, carrot sprays, and curled celery, together with parsley, endive or other greens, around the cabbage head. Here and there tuck a green or red pepper, cucumber, small egg plant, or any other colorful vegetable available.

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From the Southern Illinois University Information Service
Lorena Drummond, Editor

11-24-47

Carbondale, Ill., Nov. - Dale Kittle, president of the Southern Knights, campus service organization at Southern Illinois University, has announced that arrangements have been made to charter busses to take students, alumni, and other followers of the Southern football team to Bloomington to watch the Maroons in the Thanksgiving Day Corn Bowl game.

Price for the round-trip bus ticket is $5.00, and reservations may be made by check or money order mailed to the Southern Knights in care of the President's office at the University.

Departure time will be at seven o'clock Thursday morning from bus terminal in Carbondale.

The game will pit the champions of the Illinois Intercollegiate Athletic Conference, the Southern Maroons, against the champions of the College Conference of Illinois, North Central of Naperville. Thus, this game will decide the college championship of Illinois.

A dazzling parade has been planned as an added attraction, according to information from Bloomington. The cost of the parade will be over $1,125,000 with individual floats costing as much as $3,000.

Included in this parade, which will stretch for over seven miles, will be the Southern Illinois University marching band, under the direction of Mr. Harold C. Hines.

The Corn Bowl game, which will be played in what is normally Fred Carleton Field, will be broadcast by the National Broadcasting company with Jack Brickhouse of WGN, Chicago, at the "mike." Station WCIL, Carbondale, will carry the broadcast.

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From the Southern Illinois University Information Service
Lorena Drummond, Editor

11-24-47

Carbondale, Ill., Nov. - A Southern Illinois University art student, Don Morris of Johnston City and Marion, is getting off to a good start as an art empressario.

will stage an exhibit of work by approximately 40 Southern Illinois artists in Johnston City Nov. 29-30, which will be "covered" by LIFE magazine.

Morris, an art major at the University, was asked by a Johnston City women's club to help them plan a Southern Illinois Artists' Exhibit. When arrangements fell through, Morris decided to go ahead with an exhibit of his own.

He rented a building at 215 E. Broadway, and will spend his Thanksgiving holiday presenting the show.

Included in the exhibit will be paintings--pastels, watercolors and oils, sculpture and woodcarvings.

Vachel Davis of Eldorado, whose "Coal Miner" has attracted wide attention, will be represented in the exhibit. Fred Meyer of West Frankfort, a farmer, whose "statues in wood" of representative Southern Illinois types such as "The Coal Miner," "The Pioneer," "The Hunter," and other figures, attract wide attention at the University Museum here, will also display some of his work.

Other Southern Illinois artists who will exhibit in Morris's show include Margaret Felts of Carterville, Durlin Clendenny of Mozier,

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Mary Parrish Hine of DeSoto, Alice Manning of Carterville, Faye Skinner of Carterville, John Hill of Marion, Charles Burke and John Dohanich of Herrin, Tom Gore and Ken Gore of Johnston City, Mrs. George Ashley of Marion, Virginia Herbert of Cairo, and Mary Ellen Potts Wham of Murphysboro, paintings; Jack Bates of Johnston City, sculpture; and Roscoe Misslehorn of Sparta, pencil sketches and prints of Woodcuts.

Three University faculty members--Ben Watkins, Emily Farnham and Ken Ervin, all members of the art department faculty--will send paintings to be shown.

A number of students will also display work. Franklin Hamilton of McLeansboro will show both sculpture and paintings, and the following will show paintings: Jane Wallace of Marion, Norma Henderson of Carbondale, George Russell of Geff, L. E. Hubert of East St. Louis, Eloise McCoy of Herrin, Bill Ferketich of Zeigler, Edmond Mietzner of Fairfield, Wilbur Hemmer of DuQuoin, Kinuye Jitodai of Carbondale, James Nettleton of Jonesboro, Edith Todd of Carbondale, Marvin Mullenix of De Soto, Woodrow Rust of Cairo, Clarence Ball of East St. Louis, William Moss of Marion and Dongola, Doris Morgan of Sparta, and Morris himself.

Between 100 and 125 items will be displayed, Morris estimates.

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From the Southern Illinois University Information Service
Lorena Drummond, Editor

Attention: Sports Editors 11-25-47

Carbondale, Ill., Nov. - Guiding the athletic destiny of the Southern Illinois University Maroons, who just won the Illinois Intercollegiate Athletic Conference championship and will play on Thanksgiving Day in the Corn Bowl against North Central, is a coaching staff of five men.

Headed by Athletic Director Glenn "Abe" Martin, the staff includes the following men who are named in length of service: Leland P. "Doc" Lingle, William "Bill" Freeburg, Lynn Holder, and Harlan Hodges.

Athletic Director Martin, who is also head coach of football and baseball, joined the Maroon coaching staff in 1939 when he took over the football coaching reins from the late William McAndrew. Previously, Martin had starred on the Southern gridiron, where he captained the championship football team of 1930, played professional football with the Chicago Cardinals, and coached championship high school football teams at Fairfield, Illinois. "Abe" became athletic director in 1942, and during the war years he coached the Maroon cage team to Conference and National Intercollegiate (Kansas City) championship. This fall, after seventeen leans years for Southern football, "Abe" led the Maroons back to the top of the heap.

Backfield Coach Harlan Hodges is new to the Southern campus. He joined the Maroon coaching staff for the first time this fall, coming here after building up a enviable record at West Frankfort high school, where he led his charges to several championships. This fall, Hodges' work has been of real value in perfecting the Southern backfield.

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Line Coach Leland P. "Doc" Lingle is the oldest man on the Southern coaching staff in point of service. The line which he has coached this year has been the best in the history of the school. "Doc" is also responsible for the success of Southern's cross-country and track teams, both of which won IIAC crowns in 1945-46. Year after year "Doc's" teams have been at the top or runner-up.

William "Bill" Freeburg has charge of the Maroon "B" squad, and has the difficult task of judging and improving green football players. Freeburg played end for Southern football teams, and is now head coach of the tennis team, which won the I. I. A. C. championship last spring, and also directs the intra-mural athletic program.

Lynn Holder, assistant "B" squad coach, is one of Southern's all-time athletic greats. During his playing days, Holder was outstanding in football and basketball, but now he specializes in basketball, for which he serves as head coach, and which he led to the I. I. A. C. title last winter. This winter, Holder faces the difficult task of trying to repeat. In addition to his football and basketball duties, Holder also is head coach of golf.

Each of these five men attended Southern; each played on Southern's athletic fields. They are still on those fields many, many hours a week, doing their best for the young men of Southern Illinois.

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From the Southern Illinois University Information Service
Lorena Drummond, Editor

Attention: Sports Editors 11-25-47
For Wednesday Release:

Carbondale, Ill., Nov. - Head Coach Glenn "Abe" Martin of the Southern Illinois University Maroons abandoned the pessimism so prevalent among football coaches, and said, when questioned about the Corn Bowl game tomorrow, "I think we're going to win."

The mentor of the Illinois Intercollegiate Athletic Conference champs is definitely optimistic about the outcome of the Maroons tilt with North Central in the first Corn Bowl tomorrow afternoon at Bloomington.

North Central of Naperville is a small school with a very good record, seven wins against one loss. The Naperville is a small school with a very good record, seven wins against one loss. The Naperville school has the habit of winning, and is still smarting from its only defeat by Carthage ten days ago, so the Maroons will probably find them on the rebound.

North Central's offensive strength is centered in two fast men, left halfback Curi and quarterback Tilden who specialize on wide end sweeps.

To stop these men will be the task of Bob Colborn of Flora and Joe Hughes of West Frankfort, two great Southern ends. If Colborn and Hughes are successful, most of the offensive power of North Central will be checked.

Southern has been lucky all season by the lack of serious injuries. Only one man, Bill Wilkinson of West Frankfort, has been injured seriously, and now Wilkinson is back in uniform.

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Except for colds which have struck George Sawyer of Wood River and Don Riggs of Fairfield, the Maroons are in perfect shape. These colds will probably not slow down these men after the kickoff at the Corn Bowl.

Southern's most spectacular offensive treat in the last two games has been a long pass from brilliant Bill Malinsky of Flora to sensational George Sawyer. The pass has been thrown three times in the last two games, and has been complete each time for a grand total of over 100 yards.

Dick Seelman of Flora, who ailing right shoulder has prevented him from throwing his long, long, aerial bullets for the last several games, reports that his arm is ready for action.

The starting line up:

LE Joe Hughes of West Frankfort

LT Charles Mathieu of Eldorado, Capt.

LG Jim Lovin of Benton

C Bill Cosgrove of Benton

RG Bob Etheridge of Fairfield

RT John Corn of Benton

RE Bob Colborn of Flora

QB Bill Malinsky of Flora or George Baysinger of Carbondale.

LHB Dick Seelman of Flora

RHB George Sawyer of Wood River

FB Don Riggs of Fairfield

The game will be broadcast by the National Broadcasting Company and will be carried in this area by Station WCIL, Carbondale.

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From the Southern Illinois University Information Service
Lorena Drummond, Editor

Special to Weeklies 12-1-47

Carbondale, Ill., Dec. - The most successful season in the history of Southern Illinois University football closed Thanksgiving day when the Maroons of Coach Glenn "Abe" Martin over-powered the Cardinals of North Central in the first annual Corn Bowl game at Bloomington by a 21 to 0 margin.

The Bowl victory brilliantly set off a season during which the Maroons won the Illinois Intercollegiate Athletic Conference for the first time since 1930.

Southern won its first game from Scott Field 58 to 0, and then went into an early season slump by losing to two Indiana teams, Evansville College 7 to 0 and Indiana State Teachers College 21 to 6.

From here on the Maroons were invincible. In order, they defeated Western Illinois State College 7 to 0, Northern Illinois State Teachers College 20 to 0, Arkansas State College 12 to 7, tied Illinois Normal University 6 to 6, and defeated in succession Eastern Illinois State College 33 to 13, Southeast Missouri State College 20 to 13, and North Central in the Corn Bowl finale, 21 to 0.

Season record: seven won; two lost; and one tied.

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From the Southern Illinois University Information Service
Lorena Drummond, Editor

Special to Dailies and Weeklies 12-1-47

Carbondale, Ill., Nov. - Southern Illinois has too long been maligned as an area of worn-out land, a Southern Illinois University soils expert declares.

Marshall Clark, assistant professor of agriculture and former professional soils consultant, asserts that Southern Illinois has many excellent programs of soil conservation under way.

"These programs," he said, "range in scale from the 5,000-acre 'grassland farming' project of the University of Illinois at Dixon Springs to many excellently-managed private farms, both large and small, scattered throughout the Southern Illinois area."

To give students in the soils class of the University agriculture department the opportunity for first-hand observation and study of the best practices in soil management and conservation, Prof. Clark has arranged class visits to some of these developments.

A day was recently spent at the Dixon Springs project by a group of students from the soils class, accompanied by Clark, Dr. Henry J. Rehn, dean of the College of Vocations and Professions, and Dr. Lowell Tucker, associate professor and acting chairman of the agriculture department.

Among the students were Venus L. Vaughn of Vienna, Leavell Swink of Dongola, Robert Schoene of Trenton, Thomas H. Stacy of Chicago, Veryl E. Schubert of Carlyle, Sidney A. Gooch of Mt. Vernon, Robert Eichcolz of Pinckneyville, Roy E. Phelps of Robbs.

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J. D. McCall of Vienna, Robert Harrell of Cobden, William A. Doerr of Vergennes, James Brooks of Louisville, John H. Craig of Herrin, Clarence E. Cox of Vienna, William Cooper of Carbondale, Donald Dillow of Anna, and Leland Ashby of Eldorado.

"The Dixon Springs project is a well conceived and efficiently directed example of a large scale program, well suited to the conservatio needs of the more rolling areas of Southern Illinois," Prof. Clark explained.

The 5,000-acre project has been under way since 1933-34 and has restored to pasturage productivity land which was formerly almost waste, he said.

The reclaimed land yields astonishing results in feeding livestock. The lamb crop on the sheep-grazing phase of the project where western-bred ewes and their lambs were carried on a self-contained tract of land, yielded an average of 290 pounds of lamb per acre for the past three years.

Sold at prevailing market prices of $20 per hundred-weight, this crop brought an income of $58 per acre. An additional income of $8 per acre for wool clipped from the ewes makes a total gross income of $66 per acre. Overhead and labor costs are exceptionally low.

The beef cattle grazing space of the program--less spectacular than the sheep yield--showed favorable returns that varied sharply with the excellence of the pasture crop used and the grazing plan of utilizing these crops, Prof. Clark pointed out.

Pasture returns as high as $46.78 per acre were realized from beef produced in the demonstration.

The soil-building and erosion control program most economical for pasture development, he said, has been found to consist of the following practices:

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1. Clearing the land of trees and brush, leaving only enough for shade.

2. Basic fertilizer applications of three to four tons of limestone and 700 to 1,000 pounds of raw rock phosphate per acre.

3. Land tillage on contour, using heavy cover crop discs in place of plows to prepare the soil for seeding. This practice mixes such organic material as may be on the land with the surface soil to promote water absorption and prevent erosion.

4. Fall seeding of rye, bluegrass and red top grasses, followed in early spring on the same ground by a seeding of Ladino clover and lespadeza.

5. Controlled pasture utilization where stock is rotated from field to field during the season to prevent excessive grazing.

6. Periodic clipping--once or twice a season--to prevent the seeding of noxious weeds.

"This low-cost program assures a pasture that will give satisfactory grazing for periods of eight to 10 years before renovation is necessary," Professor Clark declared.

Among the many farmers in the Southern Illinois area who follow sound practices of soil conservation is Leo Stadelbacher of Cobden, Clark said.

The University soils class visited the Stadelbacher farm to study the results of 30 years' application of erosion control to small fruit farming with its high degree of soil tillage on typical Southern Illinois hill land.

The Stadelbacher holdings originally comprised an area of 40 acres of land so severely cut by water erosion that it was practically abandoned. The topography of the land varied from small level areas of

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an acre in extent to slopes of 25 per cent. Gullies were so deep that it was impossible to traverse the fields.

As time passed, this land was brought under control by using check dams and concrete in the worst gullies, supplemented by grass waterways and closely spaced terraces. All of the land is tilled on contour.

Principal crops are the bramble fruits and strawberries. Commonly-grown truck crops are an additional source of income.

Mr. Stadelbacher has recently added another 40 acres to his holdings and the University class was able to see at first hand just how the experiences of 30 years in erosion control and soil building can be used to bring land under control under present-day economic conditions.

"The prosperous, neat, well-kept appearance of the land and the beautiful spacious home of the owner attest to the success of these operations developed on land once considered almost worthless," Prof. Clark explained.

The farm operated by Valley Blacklock and his son of Vergennes offers a sharp contrast in soil conservation to the highly developed terrace system practiced by Mr. Stadelbacher, Clark pointed out.

Mr. Blacklock's 600-acre farm is operated as a "dirt farmer's" version of the Dixon Springs plan.

The land is largely devoted to grass and hay, with enough land cultivated in corn each year to fatten a substantial drove of hogs for market and to maintain in perfect condition a choice herd of purebred Hereford cattle. The whole operation gives evidences of a well-planned, thrifty program.

Farm operations of John Cerney of Cobden combine in one program features of both the Stadelbacher and Blacklock systems of soil utilization, according to Clark.

The greater part of the land on this 300-acre farm is of rolling

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topography best suited to pasture land farming. On this land Mr. Cerney and his sons have developed and maintain a fine herd of purebred Herefort cattle.

On restricted areas of the farm Cerney grows crops of early vegetables which are used as supplementary sources of income. These vegetable crops have proven an excellent means of utilizing the manure which is a by-product of the beef cattle enterprise. Moreover, the labor requirements of vegetable-growing dovetail well with those of beef-growing, making an economically sound combination of agricultural activities, Prof. Clark explained.

"Our visits to these practical farming operations are not only giving the soils class the chance to see the application of theoretical or experimental programs, "Prof. Clark declared," but also enable each student to get suggestions as to how these practices may be applied to his own home farm."

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From the Southern Illinois University Information Service
Lorena Drummond, Editor

12-2-47

Carbondale, Ill., Dec. - Basketball Coach Lynn Holder of Southern Illinois University commented after the first scrimmage Monday that he was fairly well pleased with the performance of his charges even though they committed many of the basketball sins inherent in early season practice.

The defending Illinois Intercollegiate Athletic Conference champions face the Flyers of Scott Field in the Southern opener December 5 in the Men's Gymnasium.

Players reporting from the football squad are "all thumbs" and still depend too much upon body blocks instead of finesse, but these rough bits of play will be smoothed out rapidly.

Three members of last year's championship outfit are on hand to lend stability to the Maroon's early season efforts. These men are Quentin Stinson of Eldorado, Oliver Shoaff of Mt. Carmel, and Bob Colborn of Flora.

Only Shoaf was out for practice this week, as Stinson and Colborn were still playing football with the I.I.A.C.--Corn Bowl champions.

Unfortunately for the early season Maroon basketball hopes, Colborn, who is a great end in football in addition to being a stellar basketball guard, suffered a fairly serious shoulder separation in the Corn Bowl football game and will be ready only for very limited duty in the early games.

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Although Holder has made no definite commitments on his starting line-up against Scott Field Friday night, it is probable that a large number of his squad will see action, giving him an opportunity to judge his charges under fire.

If he depends upon any few players to carry the Maroons to a victory over Scott Field, it will probably be the players such as Shoaff, Charles and John Goss of Marion, Jack Long of Flora, Paul Beatty of Zeigler, and Jack Eadie of West Frankfort.

These men have been practicing for several weeks and are rounding into fairly good shape.

Especially promising is the six-feet four-inch Long, a sophomore, who now has a year of experience behind him and should develop into prominence.

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From the Southern Illinois University Information Service
Lorena Drummond, Editor

12-2-47

Carbondale, Ill., Dec. - A study of office jobs available in this community was launched this week by two business teachers in the local high schools--Carbondale Community High School and University High School at Southern Illinois University.

Mrs. Bonnie Lockwood, instructor at University High, and Mrs. Lois Nelson, instructor at Community High, have collaborated on two questionnaires, one to be filled out by the employee, the other by the employer.

Results of the survey are to be used by the two instructors in planning their courses to make them more practical and more suitable to the needs of local business firms, Mrs. Lockwood explained.

"We will also use the information in counseling students who may want to apply for positions with these firms," she said.

The questionnaires call for information on the amount of training and experience, personal abilities and characteristics, and other special abilities, required for each position, as well as data on salary range, labor turnover for the job, and other information.

The survey has received the endorsement of the Carbondale Businessmen's Association.

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From the Southern Illinois University Information Service
Lorena Drummond, Editor

12-2-47

Carbondale, Ill., Dec. 2 - Miss Maxine Vogeley arrived today to assume the position as director of Anthony Hall, girls' dormitory at Southern Illinois University, President Chester F. Lay has announced.

She will succeed Miss Minette Barber, who has directed the dormitory since 1936, but who has asked to be relieved of her duties because of ill health of her mother. Miss Barber will continue to teach in the English department and will devote some time to special assignments, especially in counseling women students in connection with the office of the Dean of Women, President Lay said.

"Miss Barber's request to be relieved of her dormitory duties was a matter of deep regret to all of us, for she has done an excellent job in managing the business affairs of the hall and a really splendid work in counselling and guiding the hundreds of girls who have lived there during her regime," the University president declared.

Present and former residents of the dormitory sent a message of regret at Miss Barber's departure to the president, and expressed their appreciation for her help and guidance.

Miss Vogeley, the new dormitory director, though young, has had broad experience, including travel in half a dozen foreign lands, foreign service for the State Department, work as translator and cryptographer, teaching, secretarial work, and student counseling.

She holds both the, bachelor of arts and the bachelor of education degrees from the University of Cincinnati, and the master of arts degree

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in personnel work from Cornell University.

She has taught in the public schools of Ohio; was formerly secretary, at Cornell University, in the office of Dean Blanding who has since become President of Vassar College; and was for a time foreign service clerk for the State Department in Bucharest, Rumania. More recently she was assistant in the student counseling program at Cornell.

Her travel has taken her to Trinidad and the West Indies, to Bermuda, Italy, France, and Switzerland, in addition to Rumania.

She is a member of Phi Beta Kappa, academic honor society, and a former holder of an American Association of University Women scholarship as well as other prizes and scholarships.

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From the Southern Illinois University Information Service
Lorena Drummond, Editor

Attention: Sports Editors 12-3-47

Carbondale, Ill., Dec. - Southern Illinois University basketball Coach Lynn Holder has been experimenting this week with various combinations in preparation for the Maroon's opener against Scott Field in Carbondale Friday night.

It will be a busy weekend for the Holdermen, since they are schedule against the powerful Evansville Purple Aces in Evansville Saturday night.

In practice sessions, guard Bob Colborn of Flora has revealed that the shoulder separation he suffered in the Corn Bowl football game is improving rapidly, and he may be able to give a good account of himself over the weekend.

Sore feet, the typical early season plague suffered by all basketbal teams, are continuing to hinder Maroon practice sessions. Joe Hughes of West Frankfort has been seriously slowed down by sensitive soles, but he is mending rapidly.

Long scrimmage sessions have been standard fare for the Maroon cagers all week, and although Coach Holder will not allow himself any show of optimsism, he carries the air of a person who has high hopes.

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From the Southern Illinois University Information Service
Lorena Drummond, Editor

Attention: Sports Editors 12-3-47

Carbondale, Ill., Dec. 3 - Southern Illinois University's great end, Bob Colborn of Flora, has been chosen by his teammates as the "Most-Valuable Player" on the Maroon Illinois Intercollegiate Athletic Conference and Corn Bowl champion team.

The selection was made at a banquet here Tuesday night in honor of the championship team. At the same meeting John Corn of Benton, a junior, was elected captain for 1947.

Colborn's selection for the prize honor came as a surprise to no one, since his play had been sensational all fall. He was a smooth, dependable pass receiver and a dangerous threat on end around plays.

On defense Colborn was especially brilliant. No opposing team succeeded in gaining more than a very few yards a game around his end, and most teams had a net loss yardage for their efforts.

Corn had been a brilliant tackle all season. His selection makes th third straight year a tackle has lead the Maroons. Sam Milosevich of Zeigler was captain in 1946 and Charles Mathieu of Eldorado served in the recent 1947 season.

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From the Southern Illinois University Information Service
Lorena Drummond, Editor

12-3-47

Carbondale, Ill., Dec. - Approximately 25 Southern Illinois educators will tour reorganized public schools in Kentucky Dec. 7-8 on the fourth such expedition sponsored by the School Reorganization Committee of Southern Illinois University, according to Dr. Howard E. Bosley, committee chairman.

Many of the teachers, school survey board members and administrators who will make the trip are students in University extension classes at Elizabethtown, Benton and Harrisburg.

The group will visit Lincoln's Birthplace, near Hodgensville, Ky., "My Old Kentucky Home" at Bardstown and the "My Old Kentucky Home School" near Bardstown. The Vine Grove and Hardin County schools will also be inspected and discussed with school officials.

"The purpose of this tour is to study the operation of large school administrative units," Dr. Bosley explained.

"In Kentucky, each county is an administrative unit with a board of education of five members elected by the people to control the county schools. In some, but not in all counties, one or more independent units may exist within a county, though a marked tendency exists for these independent units to petition to join the larger county school unit."

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Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

Information Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

12-4-47

Carbondale, Ill., Dec. - A slight decrease in the total enrollment from the fall term is expected in the registration for the winter term at Southern Illinois University, December 8-9. The total is expected to exceed the 2500 registered for the 1946-47 winter term.

The new I.B.M. machines will be used again to speed up registration. These machines were used for the first time at the University last fall term.

Program cards made out in advance by all students registered for the fall term will do much to accelerate the registration. Students must realize, however, that programs made out two weeks ago are not a guarante of schedule, but an indication of the students wishes.

Several new courses are being offered for the first time winter term. Some of them are: Volley Ball 206, American Square Dances and Mixers 207 in the physical education department; in the economics department: Applied Economics 208 and Advanced Money and Banking 416. Money and Banking 315 is a prerequisite for 416. Introduction to Drama 206 may be included as one of the sophomore courses in English of which the student needs two in order to meet graduate requirement. Electronics 405 will be introduced in the physics department.

All courses previously scheduled for Dr. Kenneth D. Luney, associate professor of economics, will be taken by Vernon G. Morris, assistant professor of economics. Mr. Morris comes to the University from the Tennessee Valley Authority where he has been employed in the research department for several years.

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Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

Information Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

12-4-47

Carbondale, Ill., Dec. - Tau Delta Rho, a local discussion club, Illinois Upsilon Chapter of Pi Kappa Delta, national honorary forensics society, and the Speech Department of Southern Illinois University will play hosts to Egypt's second annual High School Speech Festival on December 6, according to Dr. P. Merville Larson, chairman of the Universi Speech Department.

Every high school student eligible to participate in speech activities under the Illinois High School Association may take part. Each contestant is allowed to take part in three events, and not more than six students from one school may participate in a single event.

Speech events include oratorical declamation, dramatic declamation, humorous declamation, extemporaneous speaking, original oratory, poetry reading, and group discussion.

Students from Duquoin, Sesser, West Frankfort, Vienna, Sparta, Paducah, Kentucky, and the University high schools will participate.

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Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

Information Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

Attention: Sports Editors 12- 4-47
For Friday Release:

Carbondale, Ill., Dec. - With high hopes for a successful season, the Southern Illinois University Maroons meet the Flyers of Scott Field Army Air Field in the S. I. U. Men's Gymnasium at 8:15 Friday night.

Maroon Coach Lynn Holder has announced that his starting line-up will include three holdover regulars from last year's Illinois Intercollegiate Athletic Conference championship team.

Quentin Stinson of Eldorado will start at center, as he has been doing regularly for two years. Bob Colborn of Flora, who was recently chosen the "Most-Valuable Player" on the championship Maroon football team, will also start, although he has been slowed in practice by a lame shoulder.

The third holdover from last year's first team is sharp-shooting Oliver Shoaf of Mt. Carmel, a senior playing his second year for the Maroons.

To complete his starting line-up, Holder has indicated that he will start two newcomers to the Southern basketball scene, Joe Hughes and Jack Eadie, both of West Frankfort.

Both men are sophomores, and both have plenty of high class basketball competition behind them. Hughes lettered with Northwestern last year, and Eadie earned a position on the Service All-America team during the war.

Both men are known as good scorers, and Hughes' performance in practice scrimmages indicates that he will probably be a steller defensive player as well.

For the relief of these men Holder has a well-balanced crew of reserves whom he will probably use liberally.

Leedio Cabutti of Johnson City is ready to begin his fourth season with the Maroon cagers after having earned letters in the previous three seasons. Other returning lettermen ready for duty are Charles and John Goss, brothers from Marion.

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Also on the Maroon squad will be lanky Jack Long of Flora, six feet three inches of promising center, Glen Oxford of Cave-in-Rock, a sophomore who lettered last year at Murray(Ky.) State Teachers College, and Paul Beaty of Zeigler, who has been advanced from last year's "B" squad.

The Maroons have no information on Scott Field, and don't know what kind of competition they will face.

After being tested on Friday night by Scott Field, the Maroons begin their collegiate campaign against the always powerful Purple Aces of Evansville College in a game to be played at Evansville.

The Maroon "B" team will entertain the early-comers with a preliminary game against the DuQuoin Independents starting at 6:45 p.m.

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Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

Information Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

Attention: Sports Editors 12-8-47

Carbondale, Ill., Nov. - With two good victories under their belts, the Southern Illinois University Maroons are girding themselves this week for a campaign which will include five games before Christmas, with four of them out of town.

Tuesday night the Maroons, who are flushed from victories over Scott Field 96 to 32 and Evansville College 48 to 39, travel to Paducah where they will meet the always good Murray (Ky.) State Teachers on neautral ground at Tilghman High gymnasium.

Over the weekend the Maroons will invade the South for two games. Friday night they visit the Indians of Arkansas State College of Jonesbor Arkansas and the following night they run into another tribe in the form of the Southeast Missouri State Teachers College Indians at Cape Girardeau.

In their opener against Scott Field the Maroons of Coach Lynn Holder met almost no opposition and had no trouble in piling up an all-time scoring record for Southern.

The reserves played half of the game, and the scoring by the players was fairly evenly split, as thirteen Maroons hit the net. Quentin Stinson of Eldorado was high point man for the evening with 16 counters.

Evansville was a much more difficult proposition the following night in a game played in the Evansville Armory.

In the first half the Maroons couldn't find the hoop effectively and were trailing at the end of the period, 25 to 23. Only the 12 points tallied by Jack Eadie of West Frankfort in this half kept the Holdermen in the game.

But the second half was a different story altogether. With all five starters, Bob Colborn on Flora, Joe Hughes of West Frankfort, Quentin Stinson of Eldorado, Oliver Shoaff of Mt. Carmel, and Eadie scoring well, the Maroons quickly established a commanding lead and went on to win going away.

Eadie's 15 points topped the Maroon's scoring, and Hafele's 12 were best for Evansville.

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Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

Information Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

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Carbondale, Ill., Dec. - The bass-baritone role in "The Messiah," to be presented as a pre-Christmas oratorio at Southern Illinois University Sunday, Dec. 14, will be sung by James W. McEnery of Chicago, widely known concert and oratorio singer, Dr. Maurits Kesnar, conductor, has announced.

McEnery has been soloist in many of the larger churches in and around Chicago, serving in that capacity at Rockefeller Memorial Chapel at the University of Chicago for some seven years.

He has appeared as soloist with the Chicago Symphony Orchestra, the North Shore Choral Society, the Euterpean Oratorio Chorus, the Wausau Oratorio Chorus, and in performances of oratorios by colleges and other groups throughout the Middle West.

He has had several radio programs, has been heard on all of the major network stations in Chicago, and recently presented a recital at Kimball Hall, drawing excellent reviews.

"The Messiah" is being presented for the second consecutive year here by the Southern Illinois Oratorio Society, organized here in the fall of 1946 by Dr. Kesnar, professor and chairman of the University music department.

Church choir singers from many communities of Southern Illinois and other vocalists are joining with the University Mixed Chorus to sing the Habdel oratorio.

McEnery is the third guest soloist announced by Dr. Kesnar for the leading roles in the Dec. 14 production. Miss Camille Anderson who sang the soprano lead last year will again sing this role, while Thomas W. Williams of Knox College's music faculty, will take the tenor solos.

"The Messiah" will be given in Shryock Auditorium on the University campus, starting at 7:30 p. m., and will be complimentary to the public.

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Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

Information Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

Special to Southern Illinois Dailies 12-8-47

Carbondale, Ill., Dec. - To help them plan business courses so the students will be better trained for the jobs they will fill, two Carbondale high school business teachers are making a survey of office jobs in this community.

Mrs. Bonnie Lockwood, instructor in University High School at Southern Illinois University, and Mrs. Lois Nelson, of Community High School, have developed two questionnaires, one to be filled out by the employee, the other by the employer.

The project has received the endorsement of the Carbondale Businessman's Association.

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Carbondale, Ill., Dec. - A new director has been secured for the women's dormitory at Southern Illinois University, President Chester F. Lay has announced.

She is Miss Maxine Vogeley, holder of two bachelor's degrees from the University of Cincinnati and a master's degree in personnel work from Columbia University. She has taught in the public schools of Ohio, was secretary in a student dean's office at Cornell, served as foreign service clerk for the State Department in Bucharest, Rumania, worked as translator and cryptographer for the FBI, and has served as assistant in the student counseling program at Cornell.

Miss Vogeley replaces Miss J. Minette Barber, director of Anthony Hall since 1936, who has asked to be relieved of the dormitory duties because of the ill health of her mother, but who will remain on the University faculty as assistant professor of English and in addition will devote some time to special assignments, especially in counseling women students in connection with the office of the Dean of Women.

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Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

Information Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

12-9-47

Carbondale, Ill., Dec. 10 - A total of 2,562 students enrolled for the winter term at Southern Illinois University by the close of the second day of registration yesterday.

Late registrants are expected to push the total up to last year's winter term enrollment of 2,589.

On Monday, the first day of registration, 1,584 students had enrolled, or nearly a third more than on the first day of registration a year ago. The accelerated rate was attributed to a streamlined registration system involving use of International Business Machine cards which simplify the filling out of enrollment cards.

Today's registration is almost two and one-half times the final total for the winter term two years ago, when 1,141 students signed up.

No figures are yet available on the number of veterans enrolled this term.

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12-9-47

Carbondale, Ill., Dec. - The Illinois Association for Health, Physical Education, and Recreation will hold its fall meeting Saturday, December 13, in the gymnasium at Southern Illinois University.

Dr. Dorothy Davies, general chairman of the meeting, has announced that the theme will be "Physical Education for the Small High School."

Dr. George Stafford, health coordinator at the University of Illinoi will keynote the program with a talk on "The Recreational Program for Small High Schools."

Exhibitions will be given by the students of several of the high schools as well as by the University students showing the techniques and team play which has been developed through the present physical education program.

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Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

Information Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

12-9-47

Carbondale, Ill., Dec. - Forty-five Southern Illinois University married or soon-to-be-married student veterans are in process of moving into the University's latest housing project.

The 68-apartment housing project, located at the Illinois Ordnance Plant, some 10 miles from the campus, was accepted recently from the Public Housing Administration by University President Chester F. Lay, and was opened to occupancy Dec. 6. The remaining apartments will be filled as rapidly as applicants qualify.

Three of the applicants who have secured apartments at the new project are scheduled to be married soon and to take their brides into the new apartments, according to Van A. Buboltz, University veterans housing project supervisor. They are Philip R. Strange of Carbondale, James E. Lovin of McLeansboro and Floyd Eadie of West Frankfort.

Fred Armstrong of Duquoin and Calvin Threlkeld of Golconda are newly-weds.

This housing project is the second to be opened by the University for veteran students, the first being a 105-apartment project on Chautauqua Street near the campus, fully occupied since last summer. Still another group of apartments at the ordnance plant--27 in number--are being constructed, which will make a total of 200.

The 68 apartments now available at the ordnance plant are exceptionally attractive ones, University officials point out. They are well-finished and well-arranged. One, two-and three-bedroom apartments are available. Maximum rents for the three types are $35, $37.50 and $42.50 per month. A limited amount of furniture may be rented if the applicants so desire.

One faculty member, Vernon G. Morrison, a new addition to the economics faculty, has been approved for one of the ordnance plant apartments, in addition to the 45 students.

Other applicants already approved include:

Robert W. Lickess of Murphysboro, Don C. Brammeier of Oakdale, Carl Brush of Brownfield, Murvel Lee Huffstutler of Mt. Vernon, James E. Winkleman of Harrisburg, William E. Helton of Murphysboro, and Leonard E. Rapp of Galatia. Orlie L. Shannon of Grand Chain, Lloyd F. Morris of Carbondale, Paul E. Fraley of Carbondale, Thomas S. Rich of

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Anna, Lee E. Unger of Olmsted, Maurice D. Holland of West Frankfort and Vernon Matthews of Murphysboro. George A. Ferguson of Tamaroa, Richard R. Maulding of Kinmundy, Lloyd Higgerson of Valier, Victor N. Smith of Benton, Howard L. Erickson of Wyanet andJohn H. Manken of Gorham. Johnny W. Hill of Carrier Mills, John H. Frazier of Oblong, W. H. Etheridge, Jr. of Fairfield, William R. Doerr of DuQuoin, Marvin F. McBride of Murpnysboro and Roy C. West of Thompsonville. Robert E. Kimmel of DeSoto, Robert Mantle of East St. Louis, Robert C. Fuson of Casey, Richard Carpenter of Carbondale, Thurman O. Watson of Alton, Kenneth Gray of Sims and Norman G. Hickam of Alto Pass. Joseph Kern of Hurst, Val Moore of Benton, Charles D. Sheffler of West Frankfort, Lyle Beltz of Cobden and Jerry E. Scherer of Carbondale.

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12-9-47

Carbondale, Ill., Dec. - A wide variety of cultural and entertainment events has been scheduled for Southern Illinois University students during the winter and spring term by the Lectures and Entertainment Committee, according to Dr. P. M. Larson, committee chairman.

The first event of the winter term was a concert Dec. 9 by Sanroma, noted pianist, presented by the Carbondale Community Concert Association which the University helps to support financially, in order that students may attend the concerts without charge.

On January 14, the Indianapolis Symphony Orchestra will be presented and on March 23, Walter Cassell, baritone, both under Community Concert auspices.

On January 22, the Lectures and Entertainment Committee will present Irene Bewley, folklorist; January 29, a debate between Mark Van Doren and Ely Culberson on "Federal World Government"; February 26, Gertrude Lippincott, dancer; also in February, Samuel Dushkin, violinist February 9, Tom Scott, American ballad singer; March 8-9, George Richey, artist; March 29, Dr. A. M. Harding, astronomer; April 12-14, Mrs. Bonaro Overstreet, poet-psychologist.

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Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

Information Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

12-9-47

Carbondale, Ill., Dec. - A vocalist from the faculty of Southern Illinois University will sing one of the leading roles in "The Messiah," to be presented here Sunday evening, Dec. 14, at 7:30 p. m. by the Southern Illinois Oratorio Society.

Miss Kate Moe, assistant professor of music, will sing the contralto solos in the Handel oratorio, Dr. Maurits Kesnar, conductor and organizer of the oratorio society, has announced.

This will be Miss Moe's first public appearance as a singer since she joined the University faculty in September. Formerly head of the music department at Itasca Junior College in Minnesota and formerly on the faculty at Valparaiso University, Ind., she spent the past year studying in the Royal Conservatory of Music in Copenhagen, Denmark.

She holds the bachelor's degree from the University of Minnesota and the master's degree from the University of Idaho, and has studied at Minneapolis College of Music, under Chicago teachers, and at the New England Conservatory of Music in Boston.

A native of Vermont, she is the daughter of Meta Moe, Danish novelist, whose books are all published in Denmark.

For two years during the war, Miss Moe was a lieutenant (j.g.) in the U. S. Coast Guard, in charge of Coast Guard musical activities in the 13th Naval District, Seattle.

She is interested in aviation as a hobby, has flown light planes for several years and holds a pilot's license.

Other soloists for "The Messiah" will be Thomas W. Williams of the voice faculty of Knox College, tenor; James W. McEnery, soloist at the Rockefeller Memorial Chapel, University of Chicago, bass-baritone; and Miss Camille Anderson, noted concert, radio, opera and oratorio artist, soprano. Miss Anderson sang the soprano lead in last year's production of "The Messiah" here by the Southern Illinois Oratorio Society under Dr. Kesnar's direction.

The oratorio will be open to the public, without charge.

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Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

Information Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

Attention: Sports Editors 12-9-47

Carbondale, Ill., Dec. - Varsity awards for men who engaged in fall athletic competition at Southern Illinois University have been announced by Maroon Athletic Director Glenn "Abe" Martin.

The following men received letters for football: Joe Hughes of West Frankfort; Bob Colborn of Flora; Galan Davis of DuQuoin; Leedio Cabutti of Johnston City; Charles Mathieu of Eldorado; John Corn of Benton; Warren Littleford of Vandalia; Quentin Stinson of Eldorado; Jim Lovin of Benton; Bob Etheridge of Fairfield; J. L. Gross of DuQuoin; J. Pieron of Murphysboro; Bill Cosgrove of Benton; Howard Jones of Benton Charles Crouch of Carbondale; Bill Malinsky of Flora; George Baysinger of Carbondale; Bob Johnson of DuQuoin; Dick Seelman of Flora; George Beltz of Marion; George Sawyer of Wood River; Charles Heinz of Gillespie; Bill Wilkinson of West Frankfort; Roy Ragsdale of Carbondale; Don Riggs of Fairfield; Jack Stephens of West Frankfort; Robert "Bunker" Jones of West Frankfort; Bret McGinnis of Carbondale; and, manager, Dale Houghland of Carbondale.

Six men were awarded letters for cross-country. They are: William Keene of Carrier Mills; Joe McLafferty of Carbondale; Buddy Miller of Carbondale; Robert Lunnenmann of Pinckneyville; Leonard Burden of Herrin; and Bill Dorris of Benton.

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Carbondale, Ill., Dec. - Southern Illinois University Athletic Director Glenn "Abe" Martin and Dr. William Neal Phelps, chairman of the faculty athletic committee, will attend the meeting of the Illinois Intercollegiate Athletic Conference at the Sherman Hotel in Chicago Friday, Dec. 12.

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Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

Information Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

Attention: Sports Editors 12-10-47

Carbondale, Ill., Dec. - Putting on a great demonstration of basketball skill, the Southern Illinois University Maroons topped a good Murray(Ky.) State College team Tuesday night in Paducah 71 to 58.

The men of Coach Lynn Holder displayed a form of basketball totally unexpected this early in the season. Their passing was sharp, the shooting was excellent, and the general deportment of floor play was smooth and efficient.

The Maroon shooting was especially effective. Paced in the scoring column by forward Bob Colborn of Flora who tallied 23 points, the entire Maroon team hit 41% of their shots from the floor.

Although Colborn led in the scoring, Oliver Shoaff of Mt. Carmel and Jack Eadie of West Frankfort provided the outstanding thrills for the crowd of nearly 2,000 which crowded into Paducah's Tilghman gymnasium.

Shoaff and Eadie scored 17 and 15 points respectively, and most of their field goals came from well out on the floor as the result of long shots with Shoaff firing one-handers and Eadie on two-handers.

Under the basket Quentin Stinson of Eldorado played brilliantly even though he scored only five points. Stinson's gallant rebounding against the taller Murray team was all-important in the Southern victory.

Next home game on the Southern schedule is Friday, Dec. 19 against Millikin University.

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Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

Information Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

12-10-47

Carbondale, Ill., Dec. - Demonstrations will form a large part of the program for the fall meeting of the Illinois Association for Health, Physical Education and Recreation to be held at Southern Illinois University here Saturday, Dec. 13.

Physical education teachers and students from six Southern Illinois high schools will stage demonstrations, as will faculty and students from Southern and the University laboratory schools here.

Key speakers will be University President Chester F. Lay; Ray O. Duncan, director of the State Department of Health and Physical Education; Frank Bridges of the Southern faculty; and George Stafford, health coordinator at the University of Illinois.

Bridges will speak on "Safety Education" at the morning session, and Stafford will discuss "The Recreational Program for Small High Schools" at the afternoon session.

Demonstrations at the Saturday morning, women's section include:

Volleyball--by Miss Barbara Melvin and students, DuQuoin High School; utilization of student leaders--Miss Barbara Kerch and students, Granite City High School; stunts, tumbling, pyramid-building-Miss Zita Spradling and students, Southern's laboratory school; mixers and square dances, Miss Jean Stehr and Southern students. An idea exchange and panel discussion with Miss Mary Myers of Olney as chairman, will follow the demonstrations. Panel members will be Miss Elsa Schneider assistant state director of Health, Physical Education and Safety, and Miss Geraldine Rennert, Illinois secretary of Girls Athletic Association.

At the Saturday afternoon general session, volley tennis, deck tennis, and home-made equipment will be demonstrated by Lelend Lingle and Miss Theresa Ivanuck, Southern faculty members.

At the men's section meeting Saturday morning, William Freeburg of the Southern faculty will discuss methods of teaching tumbling and boxing assisted by Lynn Holder in the latter. An idea exchange on the use of improvized equipment for these two activities will follow.

Further demonstrations will again occupy the women's section meeting in the latter part of the afternoon, this time on basket ball. Miss

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Kathleen Isom and students, Carbondale Community High School; will demonstrate forward techniques and plays; Miss Opal Stevens and students, Anna-Jonesboro Community High School, guard techniques and plays; and Mrs. Dorothy Muzzey and Southern students, officiating.

A basket ball clinic will also engage the men's section, with Merrill Thomas of Pinckneyville, Edward Bencini of Murphysboro and Lynn Holder of Southern as leaders.

Thomas will discuss offensive basket ball as used by Pinckneyville in winning third place last year in the state finals; Bencini will discuss the defensive basket ball used by Murphysboro in winning the Carbondale Sectional Tournament last year; while Holder will consider the pivot play used by Southern in winning the Illinois Intercollegiate Athletic Conference championship.

The meeting will open at 9:30 a. m. in the Southern gymnasium, with Miss Ruth Lins of Rockford, president of the IAHPER, presiding. Dr. Dorothy Davies and Mrs. Muzzey will preside at the two women's sessions.

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Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

Information Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

12-10-47

Carbondale, Ill., Dec. - A new class in business law for life insurance underwriters has been set up for the current winter term at Southern Illinois University.

Arranged by the Extension Division and the College of Vocations and Professions, working jointly with the Southern Illinois Life Underwriters' Association, the course will be taught by Dr. John W. Scott, professor and chairman of the business administration department. The class will meet for two and a half hours one night per week, here on the campus.

The course has been developed to help Southern Illinois insurance men prepare themselves to secure C.L.U.--Chartered Life Underwriters--certificates, according to Raymond H. Dey, director of the University Extension Service.

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Carbondale, Ill., Dec. - A whole new section is being constructed for the stage of Shryock Auditorium at Southern Illinois University here to accommodate the 250-voice choir, 50-piece orchestra, and four soloists for "The Messiah," to be presented Sunday evening, Dec. 14, at 7:30 p. m.

Size of the already large stage is being enlarged by building a platform stretching across the 40-foot proscenium arch and projecting 12-feet out into the auditorium.

The Handel oratorio is being presented for the second consecutive year as a pre-Christmas program by the Southern Illinois Oratorio Society, with Dr. Maurits Kesnar, professor and chairman of the University music department, as conductor.

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Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

Information Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

Attention: Sports Editors 12-11-47

Carbondale, Ill., Dec. - Coach Lynn Holder's undefeated Southern Illinois University Maroons face a rough weekend which includes two away-from-home games at Arkansas State and Southeast Missouri State Teachers.

Pre-season predictions from Jonesboro, Arkansas, indicate that the Arkansas State College Indians are set for their greatest season, but they have already suffered several defeats, including one by Southeast Missouri of Cape Girardeau.

Friday night the Maroons will have the task of stopping Arkansas' Maurice Miller, who was named the "Most-Valuable" college Player in Arkansas last winter. Another thorne in the Maroons' side will be Bennie Wilhelm, who was seventh highest scorer in the nation in 1946-47.

To stop these men, Southern will probably depend upon the same quintet which operated so effectively against Murray State College at Paducah on Tuesday by winning 71 to 58.

To these men, Bob Colborn of Flora, Joe Hughes of West Frankfort, Quentin Stinson of Eldorado, Jack Eadie of West Frankfort, and Ollie Shoaff of Mt. Carmel, will go the task of keeping Southern's unspoiled record intact.

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Carbondale, Ill., Dec. - According to a statement by Glenn "Abe" Martin, Southern Illinois University athletic director, one of the players on the Maroon's great Illinois Intercollegiate Athletic Conference and Corn Bowl football titlists has received honorable mentio on the Little All-American team.

Robert "Bunker" Jones of West Frankfort, Southern's sterling line-backer, was the honored player. All season the huge but mobile Jones bottled-up enemy rushing with bone-crushing tackles.

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Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

Information Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

12-13-47

Carbondale, Ill., Dec. -A number of additions to the faculty of Southern Illinois University have been made in recent weeks, according to University President Chester F. Lay.

Vernon G. Morrison has been appointed assistant professor of economics, to take over the teaching duties of Dr. Kenneth Luney, on sick leave for the remainder of the current school year.

Mr. Morrison holds two degrees from the University of Nebraska, the bachelor of science and the master of arts degrees, and has done graduate work at the University of Chicago.

He comes to Southern from the Tennessee Valley Authority, where he has been an economist since 1935. Prior to that he had done editorial work for the Commerce Clearing House, Inc., Chicago; had made a credit survey in Illinois for the U. S. Treasury; had served as assistant professor at the University of Indiana; had served as research assistant in government finance at the University of Chicago; had done research for Erwin Wasey & Company of Chicago.

Dr. Florence Foote has been named assistant professor in zoology for the winter and spring terms. Dr. Foote is the wife of Dr. Charles L. Foote, associate professor of zoology. Mrs. Foote holds the bachelor of arts and master of arts degrees from Mount Holyoke College, and the doctor of philosophy degree from the State University of Iowa. She has taught at Mt. Holyoke, the University of Delaware, and Wagner Colleg, New York.

Mrs. Joseph Melvin has been appointed instructor in the Wheeler Library.

Other recent appointments include the following part-time faculty assistants: John L. Colp, in industrial education; Mrs. Mabel Goddard Bracewell, in the University High School; Miss May Dorsey in music; Mrs. Eva McIntosh in music; Fred Armstrong in economics; Henry M. Borella in physics.

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Carbondale, Ill., Dec. -Dr. W. C. McDaniel, associate professor of mathematics, has been appointed acting chairman of the mathematics department, to succeed Dr. J. R. Purdy, associate professor, who has resigned from the faculty to engage in agriculture at his home in Ohio. Dr. Purdy came to Southern in 1929, and has been acting chairman of the mathematics department this fall, since Dr. J.R. Mayor, chairman is on leave of absence.

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Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

Information Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

Special to Dailies and Weeklies 12-13-47

Carbondale, Ill., Dec. - Southern Illinois University is cooperating in a statewide study of revision of the Illinois secondary school curriculum program, University President Chester F. Lay has announced.

"We are continuing, as always, to experiment in our University High School, and are ready to give additional support to the projected program of curriculum revision," Dr. Lay said.

Southern will cooperate by (1) making available members of the staff to work with the public high schools selected as experimental centers, and (2) allowing members of the staff to participate in various types of workshops for principals, teachers and others concerned with curriculum revision, both on the Southern campus and off-campus.

President Lay has designated as a committee to steer Southern's participation in this cooperative work the following: Raymond H. Dey, director of the Extension and Placements Services; Dr. Claude J. Dykehouse, associate professor of education; Dr. E. R. Fair, dean of the College of Education; Dilla Hall, acting principal of University High School; and Fount G. Warren, chairman of the department of education

The curriculum revision study is expected to have the participation of the six state-supported colleges and universities, the State Department of Public Instruction and the Illinois Secondary School Principals Association, and any other interested institutions, agencies and individuals, local, state or national.

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12-13-47

Carbondale, Ill., Dec. - Next home game for the Southern Illinois University Maroons, defending champions of the Illinois Intercollegiate Athletic Conference, will be Friday, Dec. 19 against James Millikin University at 8:15 p. m.

The Holder-men will be out for revenge for the defeat they suffered at Millikin's hands last year when the visitors became the first team in over two years to defeat Southern in the Southern gymnasium.

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Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

Information Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

Attention: Sports Editors 12-15-47

Carbondale, Ill., Dec. - The Southern Illinois University Maroons, winners of all five starts this season, will return to Carbondale Friday night when they play host to James Millikin University in the Men's Gymnasium.

Last year Millikin was the only team which defeated Southern twice, 52-47 and 63-51. One of those defeats was the first defeat Southern had suffered in over two years on its home floor.

The Millikin contest will be the Maroon's last home game until January 14, when Cape Girardeau will appear for a return engagement.

Cape Girardeau was the Maroon's second victim in a road game during the last weekend. Friday night the Holdermen topped Arkansas State 47 to 37 at Jonesboro, Arkansas.

In the Arkansas State game the Maroons established an early ten-point lead and then held on for the rest of the game to win by that same margin.

Cape Girardeau lived up to its reputation of being a very good team. The Cape defense was one of the best the Maroons have encountered this year, and held the Maroons to only 18 points in the first half against 20 for the home five.

In the second half Quentin Stinson of Eldorado, Southern's great center, caught fire and dumped in five baskets in five minutes, giving the Maroons a 33 to 23 lead.

At this point Stinson went out via the foul route, but Southern matched Cape basket for basket to win a very hard, rough game highlighted by harsh body contact.

Jack Eadie of West Frankfort was the leading scorer with 16 points.

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Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

Information Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

12-15-47

Carbondale, Ill., Dec. - Southern Illinois University has been notified that its kindergarten-primary teacher education program has been approved by the New York State Department of Education, University President Chester F. Lay has announced.

The University opened its pre-school education program some eight years ago, but has been steadily developing the program in recent years. "The Cottage," a former residence near the University campus, is used as headquarters and a laboratory kindergarten-nursery school for students majoring in pre-school education to put into practice the knowledge they have gained in class work.

Directed by Dr. Sina M. Mott, associate professor of pre-school education, the kindergarten-nursery school is part of the University's campus laboratory school system. Dr. Mott also is the major adviser for students majoring in kindergarten-primary education.

Facilities at "The Cottage", originally set up as a kindergarten only, were expanded in the fall of 1945 to include nursery school work.

For the past two years, special emphasis has been laid on raising standards for kindergarten and primary teachers and acquainting local communities with the fact that state school aid may be secured for kindergartens and nursery schools operated in connection with the local school system.

Dr. Mott has served as a representative of Southern on a statewide committee, composed of various educational institutions and agencies in Illinois, to study and recommend standards for pre-school education and pre-school teachers.

Another phase of the work in this field at Southern is parental education, carried on both in classes and in informal activities with parents of children enrolled in the kindergarten and nursery school.

Approximately 25 graduates have completed degrees with majors in pre-school education since the program started here, Dr. Mott said. There are about 30 students currently majoring in this field.

Allied with the pre-school program is the student organization, the Association for Childhood Education, which is comprised of all the kindergarten and primary majors in the College of Education.

Recently the University conducted a two-day Kindergarten-Primary Conference bringing Miss Neith Headley from the University of Minnesota to serve as guest consultant. Arrangements for the conference were carried out by the students in the Association for Childhood Education, and Dr. Mott, their sponsor.

While students may obtain work at Southern leading to the bachelor of science in education degree majoring in pre-school education, they may also take some work leading to the master of science in education degree as well, and by a cooperative arrangement with the Merrill-Palmer School in Detroit, an outstanding center for training in this field, may take work at Merrill-Palmer and count it toward the master's degree here, according to Dr. E. R. Fair, dean of the College of Education.

The recognition given Southern's work in this field by the New York State Department of Education is gratifying to University educators, for it means that teachers trained here in this work are eligible for appointments in New York schools, which require high standards for teachers in the kindergarten or nursery school.

"With a continuation of the excellent support President Lay has always given to our Early Childhood Education program, I feel confident that this University is making rapid headway as a regular center in this important level of teaching," Dean Fair declared.

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Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

Information Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

Attention: Sports Editors 12-16-47

Carbondale, Ill., Dec. - Father Time is rapidly closing in on 1947 Southern Illinois University athletics, and Friday night when the Maroons face Millikin College at the Men's gymnasium here will be the last Southern home athletic contest of 1947.

If the Maroons win this game against Millikin, which is defending a College Conference of Illinois crown, it will be a fine climax to a very successful athletic year.

The two most important athletic titles of the Illinois Intercollegiate Athletic Conference in 1947 were captured by the Maroons.

In the winter of 1947 Southern, under the direction of Coach Lynn Holder, won its second consecutive I. I. A. C. basketball championship.

Spring found the Maroons winning the conference tennis title, a event which has been in no way unusual during the recent years when Southern has dominated Illinois college tennis.

During the fall of 1947, under the direction of Coach Glenn "Abe" Martin, the Maroons won the I. I. A. C. football title and the post-season Corn Bowl encounter with North Central.

Millikin is a worthy opponent for the year's home final. Last year they did what had previously been considered almost impossible-beating the Maroons on the Southern floor. It was the first time a college team had turned the trick in more than two years.

Game time for the Southern-Millikin contest is 8:15 p.m. Friday.

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Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

Information Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

12-16-47

Carbondale, Ill., Dec. - An exhibition of student paintings is currently on display in the Little Gallery at Southern Illinois University, to run through the Christmas holidays until Jan. 1, according to Ben Watkins, acting chairman of the art department.

One of the features of the exhibit is a group of self-protraits done by members of a portrait-painting class taught by Miss Emily Farnham, assistant professor of art.

These include work by Jane Wallace of Marion, a modern painting designed entirely in planes; by Kin Jitodai of Seattle Wash., a likeness against a background of western landscape; by Marvin Mullinix of DeSoto, Eloise McCoy of Herrin, Mary Ann Hine of DeSoto, Clarence Ball of Carbondale, and George Russell of Geff.

Styles in painting in the show range from non-objectivism through abstraction to realism, Watkins said.

Mrs. Hines' "Yellow Fog" is a pasted paper study in the arrangement of color spots, inspired by Y. D. Eliot's poem "The Love Song of J. Alfred Prufrock."

The exhibit also includes work by Doris Morgan of Sparta, "Landscape With Three Green Trees"; William Moss of Golconda, "Two-Figure Group" and other paintings by these and other students.

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Carbondale, Ill., Dec. - Students at Southern Illinois University will start their Christmas holidays at 5 p. m. Friday. Classes will be resumed at 8 a. m. Monday, Jan. 5.

University administrative offices will remain open except for Christmas Day and New Year's Day.

Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

Information Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

Attention: Sports Editors 12-17-47

Carbondale, Ill., Dec. - James Millikin University will invade the Southern Illinois University Men's Gymnasium Friday night at 8:15 to provide opposition for the last Maroon home effort for almost a month.

After the Millikin tilt, the Maroons will not appear at home until Jan. 14 when they play Cape Girardeau.

The Friday night encounter with Millikin will provide an excellent opportunity for many Southern Illinois basket ball fans to see the undefeated Maroons battle good competition with assurance of getting a seat.

Christmas vacation at Southern begins Friday afternoon, and hundreds of students are planning on rushing home without waiting to see the basket ball game, thereby providing plenty of room in the gym for all who wish to see the red-hot Maroons.

Millikin has nine lettermen back from their College Conference of Illinois champions of last winter, and should be very good.

They will be the first Illinois college competition the Maroons of Lynn Holder have faced this year. Previously Southern has topped Indiana, Kentucky, Arkansas, and Missouri teams in succession.

In all probability the same men will start for Southern that have been starting in the previous games. They are: Bob Colborn of Flora, Joe Hughes of West Frankfort, Quentin Stinson of Eldorado, Jack Eadie of West Frankfort, and Ollie Shoaff of Mt. Carmel.

The Maroon "B" squad, under the direction of Assistant Coach Harlan Hodges, will play the DuQuoin Owls in a preliminary game at 6:45. In an earlier meeting the strong DuQuoin independent team won easily.

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Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

Information Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

12-17-47

Carbondale, Ill., Dec. - To aid Southern Illinois women's clubs, Southern Illinois University will present a new series of radio programs on "United Nations" starting Jan. 5, unver the sponsorship of the University Extension Service.

Broadcast each Monday at 1:30 p. m. over Station WCIL, Carbondale, the series will feature talks on various aspects of the United Nations by members of the government faculty at the University, according to Raymond H. Dey, Extension Service director.

Invitations have been sent to member clubs of the Southern Illinois districts of the Illinois Federation of Women's Clubs to listen to the programs at their regular meetings.

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Carbondale, Ill., Dec. - A Christmas concert will be given by the A Cappella Choir and the Madrigal Singers of Southern Illinois University Thursday evening at 7:15 in the Little Theatre on the University campus.

The two groups are directed by Floyd V. Wakeland, associate professor of music.

A string ensemble directed by John Wharton, instructor in music, will assist the vocal groups.

The public is invited. There will be no admission charge.

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Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

Information Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

12-17-47

Carbondale, Ill., Dec. - Positions were secured for 399 applicants by the Southern Illinois University Placements Service during the period Dec. 1, 1946-Oct. 31, 1947, Raymond H. Dey, Placements Service director, reports.

These placements represent approximately 4/5 of the 510 applicants who registered with the service.

Seventy-three other registrants have enrolled in graduate schools--25 of them at Southern, 48 at other institutions.

Of the 399 placed in positions, the great majority accepted teaching positions: 204 in high schools, 128 in elementary schools, 14 in colleges, four in rural schools, and nine in educational work connected with their major subject. Forty of the applicants were placed in occupations other then teaching.

The predominance of teacher placements, Mr. Dey pointed out, is due to the fact that until recent years, Southern has been exclusively a teacher-educational institution. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, the College of Vocations and Professions and the Graduate School have developed within the past three years.

Actually, 14 of the 1947 graduates of the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences have accepted teaching positions within the past year, and seven of the 1947 graduates of the College of Vocations and Professions also accepted teaching positions.

Of the 232 graduates of the College of Education for 1947, a total of 168 accepted teaching positions, or 71 per cent.

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Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

Information Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

12-19-47

Carbondale, Ill., Dec. - Southern Illinois University will hold its regularly scheduled General Educational Development Tests on Jan. 2 and 3, Dr. Marshall S. Hiskey, director of testing, has announced.

These tests are for veterans and also for non-veterans over the age of 21 who have not been able to complete their high school work, Dean Hiskey said.

Persons who pass the tests are recommended for a high school diploma in accordance with state regulations.

Those interested in taking the tests should made arrangements immediately with Dr. Hiskey.

The tests are given on the first Friday and Saturday of each month.

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Carbondale, Ill., Dec. - The faculty of Southern Illinois University this week voted to contribute $150 from the Faculty Fund to the relief fund being raised in this country for relief of teachers in war-torn countries overseas.

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Carbondale, Ill., Dec. - Dr. Laird T. Hites, associate professor, who has been serving as a full-time counselor in the Veterans Guidance Center at Southern Illinois University, has been appointed to half-time teaching duty in the College of Education, University President Chester F. Lay has announced.

Dr. Hites has assumed some of the teaching duties of the late J. Ward Dillow, assistant professor. Other members of the College of Education faculty are teaching the remainder of Mr. Dillow's classes.

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Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

Information Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

12-19-47

Carbondale, Ill., Dec. -Southern Illinois University star quarterback and passer Bill Malinsky of Flora has accepted a position at Danville, Illinois junior high school.

Malinsky, whose duties will be coaching and teaching physical education, will begin his new duties after the start of the new year.

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Carbondale, Ill., Dec. -David S. McIntosh, associate professor of music at Southern Illinois University, who has been on leave during much of the fall term and part of the winter term because of his health, has returned to his teaching duties.

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Carbondale, Ill., Dec. -Joseph R. Baxter, who has returned to the faculty at Southern Illinois University after a six months' leave of absence for special work in Peru, has been named assistant professor of Latin-American Culture in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, University President Chester F. Lay has announced.

Mr. Baxter was formerly instructor in the history department.

For the past six months he has been in Latin America studying on a fellowship from the U.S. Department of State, completing work toward his doctor's degree in Latin-American history. He is taking this degree from Duke University.

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Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

Information Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

12-22-47

Carbondale, Ill., Dec. - Five Southern Illinois University faculty members will appear on the programs of national professional societies during the Christmas holidays, and 28 others will attend meetings of such groups.

Two zoology department faculty members will present papers at the meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science in Chicago Dec. 26-31.

Dr. Florence Foote, assistant professor of zoology, will present a paper entitled "Hormonal Sex Reversal in Hypnophysectomized Anurow Larvae," prepared jointly with Dr. Beatrice Mintz of the University of Chicago.

Dr. Joseph Stanley Rafalko, associate professor of zoology, will present a paper entitled "Mitotic Division in the Amoeboflagellate Tetramitus rostratus."

A member of the English faculty, Dr. Robert D. Faner, associate professor, has been invited to address the English section of the Modern Language Association of America, which meets in Detroit Dec. 29-Jan. 2. His paper will be on "Walt Whitman's Debt to Opera," describing his findings in the research he did at the University of Pennsylvania for his doctor of philosophy degree.

Dr. P. Merville Larson, associate professor and chairman of the speech department, will give two addresses at the meeting of the Speech Association of America in Salt Lake City Dec. 29-31, the first before the junior college section on "What the Teacher-Training Institution Expects of the Junior College in Speech," and the second before the public address section in "Social Impacts of the Speaking of Bishop Grundtvig." Dr. Larson is a member of the executive committee of the association and will attend the council meeting on Dec. 28, and will also give a report from the sub-committee on speech education in teacher-training institutions.

Dr. Floyd F. Cunningham, associate professor and chairman of the geography department, and Dalias Price, assistant professor, will attend the meetings of the National Council of Geography Teachers, the

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Association of American Geographers, and the American Society for Professional Geographers at the University of Virginia, Charlottesville, Va., Dec. 27-31. Dr. Cunningham, who holds the record for having served the longest period as president of the National Council of Geography Teachers--three years--, is a member of the Executive Board and will preside at one of the sectional meetings. He has been an official of the Council for eighteen years.

President Chester F. Lay; Dr. Henry J. Rehn, dean of the College of Vocations and Professions; Dr. Lewis A. Maverick, professor and chairman of the economics department; Dr. William A. Pitkin, associate professor of social sciences; and Herbert E. Johnson, faculty assistant in economics and geography, will attend the meetings of the American Economic Association in Chicago, Dec. 28. President Lay and Dean Rehn will also attend sessions of the Academy of Management in Chicago Dec. 27.

A large group will attend the Chicago meetings of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, embracing a number of scientific societies-- Dr. Charles Foote, associate professor of zoology; Dr. W. M. Gersbacher, associate professor and chairman of the zoology department; Dr. O. B. Young, professor and chairman of the physics department; Dr. W. W. Meeks, associate professor of physics; and Miss Charlotte Zimmerschied, assistant professor of physics; Dr. Walter B. Welch, associate professor and chairman of the botany department; William M. Marberry, assistant professor of botany; Dr. Margaret Kaeiser, assistant professor of botany; Miss Irma Tate Ward, faculty assistant in botany; Miss Amy Mae Jones, graduate assistant in botany; Dr. Marie A. Hinrichs, professor and chairman of the physiology and health education department.

Dr. Joseph K. Johnson, professor and chairman of the sociology department, will attend the annual meeting of the American Sociological Society in New York City, Dec. 28-30.

Dr. J. Cary Davis, associate professor of foreign languages, will attend the meetings of the Modern Language Association and the American Association of Teachers of Spanish and Portuguese, in Detroit, Dec. 20-Jan. 2.

Dr. Earl Hall, assistant professor of education, and Dr. Victor Randolph, associate professor, will attend the meeting of the Illinois Education Association in Peoria, Dec. 28-29.

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Dr. Harold E. Briggs, professor and chairman of the history department; Dr. George L. Cherry, assistant professor; and Joseph D. Baxter, assistant professor, will attend the meeting of the American Historical Association in Cleveland, Ohio, Dec. 27-29.

Dr. Maurits Kesnar, professor and chairman of the music department, will attend the meetings of the Music Teachers National Association and the National Association of Schools of Music in Boston, Mass., Dec. 27-Jan. 2.

Dr. Viola DuFrain, associate professor of business, and Van A. Buboltz, assistant professor, will attend the meeting of the National Business Teachers Conference in St. Louis Dec. 29-31.

Glenn "Abe" Martin, director of athletics and head football coach, will attend the one-day meeting of the Football Coaches Association in New Orleans Dec. 31.

Dr. Orville Alexander, director of alumni services, will attend the semi-annual meeting of the Illinois Joint Alumni Council for the five institutions in the State Teachers College System in Peoria Dec. 29.

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Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

Information Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

Attention: Sports Editors 12-22-47

Carbondale, Ill., Dec. - Santa Claus in the person of Coach Lynn Holder has given the undefeated Southern Illinois University Maroons a full week's vacation for Christmas.

After handily winning their sixth and seventh starts of the season by drubbing Millikin 71-50 Friday night, and then taking Shurtleff's measure 73 to 50 the following evening at Alton, Holder told his men not to return for practice until Monday, Dec. 29.

After three day's practice, the Illinois Intercollegiate Athletic Conference champs will greet the New Year by participating in the Vincennes Holiday Tournament.

Against Millikin the Maroons displayed the most effective passing of the season. Near and under the basket the pass-work was so sharp that it dazzled the taller Millikin team.

Big Quentin Stinson of Eldorado, Southern's brilliant center, led the scoring parade with 16 points. Bob Colborn of Flora took runner-up honors with 13 tallies.

Playing at Alton, Shurtleff provided the Maroons with more worry than Millikin had done the previous night, although there were only two points difference in the score.

The Maroons first team, which had been "hot" in all previous games, failed to produce results. With the Maroons trailing 18 to 14 midway in the first half, Coach Lynn Holder substituted his entire second team composed of Leedio Cabutti of Johnston City, Jack Long of Flora, Charles and John Goss of Marion, and Jack Beaty of Centralia.

This combination immediately went to work. Playing smoothly and scoring heavily, the second team remained in the game until over half of the second period was over when they left a 20-point lead for the first team, who finished the game.

Bob Colborn led the Maroon attack with 17 points.

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Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

Information Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

Do not release until
Monday p. m., Dec. 29

12-24-47

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 29 - By experimenting on grown frog tadpoles, two women zoologists have come to the conclusion that sex hormones act directly on the sex glands instead of acting through the pituitary gland.

Dr. Florence Foote of Southern Illinois University and Dr. Beatrice Mintz of the University of Chicago today presented a paper before the endocrinology session of the American Society of Zoologists at the American Association for the Advancement of Science meeting here, reporting on "Hormonal Sex Reversal in Hypohysectomized Anuran Larvae."

They removed the pituitary gland and injected pure crystalline sex hormones into the tadpoles. They found that the normal sex reversal pattern resulted, hence concluded that the pituitary is not essential to the effectiveness of the hormones.

Their investigations were carried on while both were graduate students working toward the doctor's degree at the University of Iowa.

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Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

Information Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

Do not release until
Wed. p. m., Dec. 31

12-29-47

Detroit, Mich., Dec. - The source of Walt Whitman's poetic genius is rioted in the opera, a Southern Illinois University scholar today reported before the American literature group of the Modern Language Association, meeting here.

Dr. Robert D. Faner, associate professor of English at Southern, who took his doctoral degree from the University of Pennsylvania last June, submitting a dissertation on Whitman's debt to opera, expressed the belief that the poet not only used the opera as a source of inspiration but also as a structural style for his new form of poetry.

Faner's research seems toshow that Whitman, far from "happening upon" the free style of verse he developed, created his style deliberately and with expert craftsmanship, the speaker declared.

Many students of Whitman have noted his keen interest in the opera, but Faner's study reveals for the first time the fact that the poet's interest in poetry, and the style he created, sprang from his preoccupation with opera.

Faner explained that Whitman found his ideas and visions stimulated when listening to the Opera, and he consciously set out to create a free, rhapsodic poetry that would approximate the effect of opera. For this effect, he depended heavily on the recitative and the aria, rather than the conventional stanza and line forms of earlier verse. In doing so, he created a new poetic form and style.

Actually, Whitman did not start writing poetry until he became enamoured of the opera, in the early 1850's, Faner said, and once he started attending the opera he went every night.

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Southern Illinois University
CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS

Information Service
LORENA DRUMMOND, ED.

Attention: Sports Editors 12-29-47

Carbondale, Ill., Dec. - Basketball Coach Lynn Holder decreed two-a-day practice sessions for the Southern Illinois University Maroons when they returned from their Christmas vacation to prepare for the Vincennes Holiday Tournament, Jan. 1.

The Maroons will face Cape Girardeau in the opening round of the New Year's Day four-team tournament. Two games will be played in the afternoon, and the final and consolation games will follow the same evening.

Evansville and Canterbury are paired for the second afternoon round. Earlier this season Southern has defeated both Evansville and Cape Girardeau on the opponents' courts, Cape falling 54 to 45 and Evansville 48 to 39.

The two-a-day drills are scheduled for 9:30 a.m. and 2:00 p.m., with the morning drills being much lighter with emphasis on passing and shooting. During the afternoons scrimmages are being held.

By Wednesday the practice sessions will probably taper off to only a single afternoon session, as Holder guards against his men getting sore feet from too strenuous workouts after a week-long Christmas vacation.

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the service will be made available to all schools of the area.

Already, some half dozen school systems of Southern Illinois have agreed to participate in this new service, using the exhibits in connection with their classwork. These "pioneering" schools are Eldorado, Muddy, Harrisburg, Dorrisville, Crab Orchard, Marion and Carterville.

The University will take the exhibits by car to the cooperating school, leaving them a week or two weeks, then picking them up and transporting them to the next school.

"If the schools like the service," Dey said, "we hope to develop many more unit exhibits, and to arrange a schedule of delivery so that the schools may have the unit on transportation, for example, at the time the children are studying transportation."

Many of the models to be used in the traveling exhibits, Allen said, were made by WPA artists assigned to the Museum in the 1930's.

The transportation exhibit which the University will send out consists of models of a flat boat, carts of several vintages, a log wagon, a Conestaga covered wagon, a log bridge, a replica of the covered bridge at Chester, and other models.

In the exhibit on weaving are the miniature spinning wheels and loom, a frame for winding the yarn into hanks, samples of cotton and flax fiber, and samples of cloth woven by hand.

The exhibit on household lighting includes the so-called "floating wick," the "grease lamp," the Paul Revere candle lantern and other lanterns, the kerosene lamp, and so on to the electric bulb.

Models and diagrams of sponge, coral, starfish, clams, lizards, frogs and salamanders are included in the science exhibits.

Each object in each exhibit will have its own descriptive label, and notes for the teacher's use in explaining the exhibit are furnished.

The first exhibits will go out Monday, Jan. 24.

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